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GOOD FELLOWS CHEER HEARTS OF 11,612 POOR

Army Carries Yule Joy to Children.

(Pictures on back page.)

Marching with the precision of a well drilled fighting unit, the 1926 Good Fellow army yesterday scored a smashing victory in behalf of Chicago's poor children and last night when taps sounded Christmas cheer and happiness had been distributed to 11,612 poor little boys and girls.

Last minute appeals of poor families will probably increase that number to approximately 12,000 children, according to estimates of THE TRIBUNE'S Good Fellow department at 1 South Dearborn street. At noon yesterday the recruiting books for the 1926 drive were closed at headquarters, and preparation made to amply supply with Christmas joy the appeals of the poor families still on file. Two hours later every application had been filled with supplies purchased by the Good Fellow fund.

Happiness Reigns Today.

This year the Good Fellow army visited every poor tenement section in Chicago and the homes of all its members were bombarded with candy and suits and those things so dear to childish hearts at Christmas time. With packs of Christmas goodies for the little folks Chicago Good Fellows visited tenement houses and this morning for the reigns in the homes of 2,425 poor families the Yuletide spirit of contentment and happiness.

Good Fellows agree that even the thought of seeing some child brushing tears of sadness when a Santa Claus visit is made is worth thrice the work of enlisting in the Good Fellow army. Many Good Fellows contributed check donations to the 1926 campaign than in other years, but there was a decrease in Good Fellows who personally visited the needy families. This condition made a last minute rush necessary to fill the undistributed appeals of poor families.

GLEE FILLS HOME

BY MARRIOTT SMITH.

"First floor, rear," at an Evans avenue address is where the N—— family lives. Half way back a narrow, icy stairway we were greeted by a group of excited colored children, who fairly tumbled out of a doorway at the sight of the huge toy-laden basket being brought to them. Two larger children stooped down upon the basket and helped drag it in, while five pairs of eyes and hands reached for horns, drums, balls, and books, and almost completely relieved the basket of its load before it finally was deposited on the bare kitchen floor.

"Um-m-m, fairy tales! That's what I like most of!" shouted little Mary, as I came to the baby's crib, that that baby month old mite woke up and seemed to know what it was all about. Mrs. N—— smoothed out the warm, fuzzy blanket which was in the bottom of the basket, and lifted the package of food to the kitchen table. Her expressions of thanks were scarcely heard above the din being made by the excited, happy children.

Boy Is Family's Support.

The next stop was the O'M's. on Ogden street, where the oldest boy, aged 14, is the sole support of his mother, invalid father, and seven young brothers and sisters. "I am so glad the children will have a happy Christmas," said Mrs. O'M., "for their father is to be taken away after Christmas." Mr. O'M. is suffering from cancer.

Then to three other families, all alike in a way, and yet each having a separate story of tragedy and poverty, completed the trip. They were grateful to you, Mr. Good Fellow. I wish you'd been there, too.

SIX IN ONE FAMILY

BY MINNIE LEVINSON.

Merry Christmas! Six of them! That's how many I had this year. Two of my own and five that were given to me when I acted as a messenger for the Good Fellows.

The first family I visited lived 'way back, rickety and dark ones, in a small dingy, dark and dreary flat. And they were occupied by six little pickaninnies and their father and mother. Think of it—eight people in two small places that passed for living rooms! But it might have been a palace for the happy expressions on their faces when they saw what the Good Fellows brought them, and realized that they hadn't been forgotten in the usual rush of Christmas.

Couldn't Be Happier.

They couldn't have been a happier family in the world—if happiness

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HIROHITO TAKES JAPAN'S THRONE AS FATHER DIES

Holiday Fetes Give Way to Mourning.

BY RODERICK MATHESON

(Pictures on back page.)

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

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TOKIO, Dec. 25 [Saturday].—Yoshihito, 123d emperor of Japan in direct line, is dead, and Hirohito reigns.

Japan, from the frozen Kuriles to tropical Formosa, is stripped of its gay holiday attire and plunged into mourning. The shops will be closed four days, many theaters and places of amusement will shut up for a month while for the next sixty days music, dancing, or merriment of any nature will be frowned upon.

The formal announcement of the emperor's death was followed immediately by a ceremony in which a high Shinto priest heralded the death of Yoshihito and the accession to the throne of Hirohito to the imperial ancestors enshrined in the main Chiyoda palace in Tokio. Hirohito, who has been regent since 1921, will return to Tokio tomorrow with the new empress to receive the members of the imperial family.

Funeral in 50 Days.

The new emperor and empress and empress dowager will hold a farewell service for the late emperor at the winter palace in Hayama tonight. Other services will be held before the coffin at ten day intervals until the fiftieth day, after which funeral services will be held. The interment will take place in the new mausoleum being rushed to completion on the mountain side near the village of Asagawa, forty miles from Tokio.

The ruler's death abruptly ends the holiday season. His illness caused heavy losses to the retail dealers. Many printers are facing bankruptcy, as the usual 50,000,000 new year cards are not wanted, while calendars and diaries which have been prepared now are useless, as the Japanese calendar year corresponds to the reign of the emperor.

Messages of condolence are flowing into the imperial household. The pending cabinet crisis and all political disputes will be dropped during the period of mourning. The diet probably will adjourn for ninety days after passing an appropriation for the state funeral expenses.

Coolidge Sends Condolences.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—President Coolidge, in behalf of the American people, sent messages of sympathy to Hirohito, new emperor of Japan, and the dowager Empress Sadoka, following the announcement here of the death of Emperor Yoshihito. His message to Emperor Hirohito reads:

"I desire to extend to your majesty in behalf not only of myself but of the government and the people of the United States an expression of profound sympathy in the deep personal bereavement sustained by your majesty and by the people of Japan in the death of his majesty, your imperial father."

In his message to Empress Sadoka, President Coolidge said:

"Mrs. Coolidge joins with me in heartfelt condolence in the great affliction which has befallen you by the death of his majesty, your august husband. We extend to you our profound sympathy."

Secretary of State Kellogg, in a message to Baron Shidehara, minister for foreign affairs, expressed his regret over the emperor's death.

Second Son Reaches U. S. Tuesday.

LONDON, Dec. 24. — (AP) — Prince Chichibu, second son of the emperor of Japan, was on the high seas enroute homeward when his father died. He is on board the Majestic, which is due to reach New York next Tuesday from Southampton, and he is expected to reach Tokio Jan. 16.

OF A LONG LINE

Yoshihito, the 123d emperor of Japan, was a descendant in direct line, according to Japanese historians, of Jimmu Tenno, Japan's first emperor, who ascended the throne and founded the imperial family in 660 B. C. Physically weak, never mentally strong, and for the last several years of his life a helpless invalid with his mentality shattered, this practically absolute ruler of an empire of 80,000,000 people accomplished nothing of note, while at all times his personality had been over-

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OUTCASTS FOR A DAY

Left to Die on South Side; Case Mystery

Thirty-five robberies and two attempted robberies were reported to the police Christmas eve. Morris W. Hartwell, 62 years old, one of the owners of the F. G. Hartwell company, dealers in coal at 122 South Michigan avenue, was beaten and received a bullet wound, presumably in resisting a holdup.

One of three bandits who robbed a west side merchant was shot and captured by a policeman, and one Christmas party was invaded by holdup men and the guests compelled to give up their belongings.

Hartwell Has Skull Fracture.

Hartwell was found unconscious, with his skull fractured by a heavy blow and a bullet wound in his head, in the hallway of a building at 3806 South Wabash avenue. His pockets had been turned out and small change was scattered on the floor about him.

At an early hour this morning the victim, who was taken to the Lakeside hospital, was unable to tell how the shooting occurred. His brother, F. G. Hartwell, said he was unable to explain why the man who was injured should have gone to the house on Wabash avenue or even into that neighborhood, which is the colored belt, on Christmas eve.

"Morris was at the office until 5:30," his brother said. "In my opinion, he was lured to that place, possibly by a taxicab driver, and assaulted by men who wanted to rob him. I have called all his close friends in the hope of learning whether any of them were with him after he left the office."

Police Get Mystery Tip.

The police went to the house after an anonymous caller had informed them of the presence of the wounded man. They found one clew to the identity of the man who attacked Hartwell. Mrs. Mattie Harper, a resident of the building, reported that a tall Negro had run into her apartment shortly before the police arrived and threatened to kill her if she made any outcry. Then he ran out again. He is believed to have been the robber.

Hartwell resided at 5416 Cornell avenue. At the hospital his condition was described as critical.

RAID LAIR OF REVOLT CHIEF; ORDER HIM OUT

Given Until 4 P. M. Today to Leave.

BY GERALD MARTIN.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

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PUERTO CABEZAS, Nicaragua, Dec. 24.—American naval forces under Rear Admiral Julian Latimer today ordered Juan B. Sacasa, revolutionary leader, who claims the presidency of Nicaragua, out of his capital by 4 p. m. tomorrow.

After marines had raided Señor Sacasa's residence today, United States naval authorities ordered him and his cabinet, as well as his army, to quit the rebel headquarters by the hour stated, or be disarmed.

Señor Sacasa, who set up a rebel government in opposition to the régime of President Adolfo Diaz, has protested to Washington against the landing of forces by the United States navy to protect American interests. Puerto Cabezas and the Rio Grande territory have been declared a neutral zone by Admiral Latimer, who issued a proclamation stating that a neutral zone order was to be enforced.

Arrest Many Opponents.

Throughout the day the Nicaraguan authorities throughout the country have been arresting oppositionists, owing to the attack on the life of President Diaz yesterday. Those arrested include many prominent Liberals, who are being marched through the streets, guarded by soldiers. An opposition club manager was arrested, the whole staff of a leading hotel was removed, and stores were searched, but the Diaz attackers were not discovered.

Following a decree prohibiting Christmas festivities, President Diaz recalled the martial law order during the holidays, but Managua is being closely policed by the American trained national guardsmen.

Three hundred government troops were ambushed north of Corinto and annihilated by the rebels.

Attacks U. S. for Invasion.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[U. N.]—Señor Vaca, representative here of the rebel Nicaraguan leader, Sacasa, today received the following message from Señor Sacasa's foreign minister:

"Warships Cleveland and Denver violently landed here today regular American marine forces and searched the executive residence and notified President Sacasa that tomorrow at 4 o'clock Puerto Cabezas will be declared a neutral zone and President Sacasa and his cabinet and army must leave the place or else be disarmed by the American forces occupying the city.

"This abuse of force against a small and weak country, but dignified among the nations of the world, has been displayed in the occupation without motive or justification, because in no way American lives or property are in danger.

"This act constitutes an offense against the American continent. Dr. Sacasa is exercising the constitutional presidency in accordance with international facts. Nothing justified such a procedure that seriously threatens the future of Central America. We are not even allowed to use code, so answer in Spanish."

Lift Embargo for Nicaragua.

Following the state department's refusal to permit the Mexican government to ship eight airplanes from California to Mexico because of the arms embargo, the department has granted a similar request of Nicaragua for one plane, now being shipped from New Orleans, the United Press learned today. The department made this exception in the case of the Nicaraguan embargo while the Nicaraguan Conservative president, Diaz, was issuing an appeal for American aid against the liberal revolutionists recognized by Mexico.

Mexico Sees War Peril.

Mexico City, Dec. 24.—[U. P.]—In an editorial captioned "A New Maine Question," the newspaper Universal has suggested that some overt act might precipitate hostilities between Mexico and the United States, as the sinking of the battleship Maine in Havana harbor brought on the Spanish-American war.

The paper explained its caption with some remarks on the case of John F. Howard Jr. of Haverhill, Mass., who was arrested here with two other men on charges of planning to attack Mr. Howard's father's ranch and to kidnap the aged Massachusetts millionaire. John F. Howard Sr. and his family are estranged because he obtained a divorce in Mexico and subsequently married again.

It could not be ignored, the paper

Chicago Area Population Set at 4,100,000

Chicago, now know as the world's fourth largest city, would be virtually tied for third place if its metropolitan area was considered as a unit, according to an unofficial report made yesterday by the Association of Commerce.

Within the city limits, Chicago now has 3,152,000, the figures show, and its suburbs included, 4,100,000. The latest census puts the population of Berlin, which includes its suburbs, at 4,114,000. The figure for Paris is 2,907,000.

The Association of Commerce survey shows that the Chicago population has increased 16.7 per cent over the government census of 1920, which set the number at 2,701,705.

Many Barometers Used.

The survey took into consideration every possible indication of population change, such as school attendance, birth records, city water department records and statistics of various other municipal agencies. This method is said to have been proved fairly accurate.

Evanston, according to the report, has 61,723 residents, an increase of 66.7 per cent over 1920, when the government census gave 37,224.

The characteristics of Chicago's population for 1920 and 1927 are shown as follows:

	1920.	1927.
Males	1,360,917	1,596,236
Females	1,331,788	1,553,753
Dwellings	335,777	391,740
Families	623,912	727,897

Of the 1,598,236 males in the city, 1,019,946 are over 21 years of age and of the 1,553,753 females 967,031 are over 21.

Birth records showed an excess over deaths of 155,190, while school children increased 33.5 per cent. The number of domestic water services at the close of 1925 was 312,673 as compared to 380,000 now, an increase of 21.6 per cent.

N. Y. FIGURE 6,322,554

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—In the six years elapsed since the federal census was taken in 1920, the five metropolitan boroughs have grown by 13.5 per cent and the city of New York will start the new year with a population of 6,322,554, according to a survey just completed by the Newspaper Features bureau. The population in 1920 was 5,620,048.

The survey is based on figures obtained from local sources. Chief among the items which went into its calculation was the excess of births over deaths. This amounted to 414,162. The city department of water supply, gas and electricity also contributed data, showing that the number of active domestic water services had increased in that time from 267,000 to 350,000. This is regarded as an exact indication of the city's increase of families.

Day registration in the public schools, which was 840,749 at the close of 1919, at the close of 1926 is 1,009,778. These figures, supplied by the director of reference, research and statistics of the board of education, show an increase of 169,029 registered pupils, or 20.2 per cent.

THE WEATHER

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1926.

Sunrise, 6:17; sunset, 4:24; moon rises at 10:49 p. m. today. Mars and Jupiter are evening stars.

Chicago and vicinity—Fair Saturday; Sunday unsettled with rising temperature; probably rain or snow by or before night; gentle to moderate winds, mostly west to south, increasing to fresh southerly by Sunday.

TRIBUNE BAROMETER.

TEMPERATURES IN CHICAGO

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10 a. m. ... 29	7 p. m. ... 21	2 a. m. ... 15
11 a. m. ... 26		

Mean temperature for 24 hours ending at 7 o'clock last night, 30. Normal for the day, 27. Deficiency since Jan. 1, 448 degrees. Barometer, 7 a. m., 30.00; 7 p. m., 30.18. Precipitation for 24 hours ending at 7 p. m., .01 inch; excess since Jan. 1, 2.54 inches. Highest wind velocity, 21 miles an hour from the west, at 9:51 a. m.

[Official weather table on page 18.]

SPRINGING DOG MEETS BULLET FIRED AT MASTER

Trixie is a German police dog with a sense of duty, guarding the truck driven by Jerry Deroul, 1617 Flak street, an employé of the Albert Sima Cigar company, 2015 Blue Island avenue. Yesterday Trixie was put to the test.

Two holdup men in a Ford automobile pulled alongside Deroul's truck at 1705 West Cullerton street. They pointed revolvers at Deroul and ordered him to get off the seat. Deroul shouted for help. One of the men fired.

Just then Trixie was in the air, leaping at the robbers. The bullet intended for Deroul hit Trixie, passing from the right through the muscular wall of the abdomen and lodging in the left hind leg. Deroul took the dog to the McEvers Brothers Veterinary hospital, 1539 West 21st street. There it was said there might be intestinal punctures and the animal might not recover. The robbers fled without getting any cash.

Mother Dies in Trying to Get to Children

Thomasboro, Ill., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—A mother's anxiety for the safety of her two children, alone in a farmhouse at night, resulted in her death early this morning after she had been found alongside a country road. Death was due to exhaustion, a physician said, occasioned by the woman's walk of over a mile on roads deep in mud.

The mother, Mrs. Mary Ethel Weir, 32, went to Champaign yesterday with her husband to buy Christmas presents. They took with them their little girl, leaving the two small boys at home.

Husband Is Arrested.

Returning from Champaign the Weir auto was halted by State Road Patrolman Parsons, who accused Weir of being intoxicated. Parsons claims he found a bottle of alcohol in Weir's pocket and placed him under arrest. He brought Mrs. Weir to Thomasboro, where neighbors promised to see that she reached her home.

There was some delay in securing a car and when it grew dark Mrs. Weir began to worry about the two boys. Finally she decided to set out on foot, taking the baby with her.

After leaving Thomasboro nothing was seen of Mrs. Weir until 3 o'clock this morning, when Melvin Hawk, a farm hand who was returning to the Merrill farm, heard moans as he neared the Fiedler schoolhouse.

Lost Shoes in Mud.

Investigating, he found Mrs. Weir lying beside the road with the baby snuggling close beside her in an attempt to keep warm. Mrs. Weir had lost her shoes in the heavy mud and was barely conscious. She was carried to the school house and an attempt made to revive her. A call was sent for a doctor, but his auto also became stalled in the mud. When he arrived Mrs. Weir was dead, but the first aid given the child revived her and she is now declared out of danger.

After being arrested Weir was taken to the Champaign police station and released on bond early in the evening. Returning home and finding his wife missing, he sent out an alarm. Neighbors started a search, but failed to find Mrs. Weir. Mrs. Weir was expecting to become a mother again in a few months.

FALLS IN DITCH, SHOOTS, SEIZES ONE OF ROBBERS

Undaunted by a plunge into a ditch filled with icy water, Policeman Louis La Bord of the Fillmore street station last night pursued and captured one of three bandits who only a few minutes before h. l robbed the owners of two stores on West Roosevelt road.

The men first went into the shoe store of Samuel Kessell, at 3603. From the proprietor they took $138 and from a customer, Meyer Jacobs of 1725 Roosevelt road, $12. Next they visited the nearby silk mart of Eli Levy, where they obtained $200 from the cash register, two diamond rings and thirty dozen pairs of silk hose.

Shouts of the victims attracted the attention of the policeman. He arrived just as the robbers were getting into their automobile. As he fired they deserted the car and fled on foot. The chase led through the skeleton of a building under construction. There LaBord fell into the ditch, but crawled out and fired again.

One of his bullets struck Abe Goldblatt, of 3935 West Roosevelt road, in an arm. He surrendered and was taken to the station by the wet but truculent policeman. Some of the silk stockings were found in his pockets.

Stage Crashes Through Bridge; Many Injured

Stockton, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP)—More than a score of people are believed to be seriously injured, some perhaps fatally, while many others escaped injury and possible death when a north bound automobile stage crashed into the south end of the Ripon bridge near here and plunged 40 feet into a ravine. The stage turned over

said, that the situation was extremely delicate. The cause, according to the Universal, lay in Mexico's land and petroleum laws, which Mexico "dictated in the exercise of her sovereignty."

Borah Sees War Threat

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—Flat assertion that war with Mexico is the ultimate aim of those who would have the United States intervene in the Nicaraguan situation was made today by Senator Borah [Rep., Idaho], chairman of the senate foreign relations committee.

In a formal statement discussing the landing of American sailors at Rio Grande Bar on the eastern coast of Nicaragua, the senator, after admitting that American oil interests in the Central American republic have a right to expect protection "in every reasonable way" from Washington, continued: "But the most unreasonable way and the most brutal and the most fruitless way would be a war with Mexico."

"I understand," Senator Borah said, "the marines or sailors have been landed upon request of American citizens now living in or doing business in certain parts of Nicaragua. They report that their lives and property are in danger because of the fighting and turmoil, and have asked for protection.

"The mere fact that we recognize the Diaz government does not impose upon us either the legal or moral obligation to maintain that government by force. We are not, I presume, going to assume the rôle of censor for Central American revolutions.

"The truth is that effort is being made to get this country into a shameless, cowardly little war with Mexico."

COLLINS ORDERS A RUM QUIZ IN CHICAGO LAWN

A full investigation of alleged liquor dispensing in the Chicago Lawn police district was promised by Chief Collins yesterday following the suspension of Patrolmen Peter J. Lowerty and Edward J. Hayes.

The patrolmen, in uniform, were charged with drinking over the bar in George Horn's saloon at 5858 South Ashland avenue. They were suspended after Lieut. William Baul, at the head of a squad of the chief's personal investigators, raided the place and confiscated 65 gallons of alcohol.

"When these two men come before the trial board I am going to see that the whole situation is gone into," the chief said. "I have a suspicion there are other officers involved and I intend to find out."

Chief Collins was highly pleased with the work of his squad and personally commended them yesterday. Several aldermen and citizens called at the chief's office and urged him to lay more stress on the activities of his secret agents, as a means of checking up on the uniformed force.

Husband Pays Alimony; Out of Jail for Christmas

Unwilling that her husband should spend Christmas in jail, Mrs. Helen Worthington of Evanston appeared yesterday with her attorney, Lloyd A. Faxon, before Judge John P. McGoorty and asked that Eugene Worthington, well to do south side real estate operator, be released. So impressed by his wife's attitude was the husband that he then paid her the $150 alimony for nonpayment of which he was imprisoned. Both husband and wife will spend today with their two year old son, Eugene Jr.

Ask for Change, Try to Rob, Shoot Butcher

John Eletz, owner of a meat market at 1700 West 22d street, received a wound yesterday when he resisted a holdup by two men who came into his store and asked him to change a big bill. He drew his purse and one of the men tried to grab it. Eletz was shot in the left leg. Two men stole $3,500 from Burton Dayment, 3727 North Hermitage avenue, a collector for the Atlantic and Pacific Tea company, in front of a store at 3008 West Madison street.

City Asks Court to Order Review of Tax Complaints

Suit was filed yesterday to compel the board of review to consider more than 9,000 complaints that property in the city has been undervalued. The action was taken in the Superior court by Corporation Counsel Francis X. Busch. The complaints were filed some time ago in the hope that the city might gain $1,302,443 added revenue. Mr. Busch asserted that the board of review has paid little attention to the city's petition.

PONCE DE LEON TRAIN BLAMED FOR DIXIE WRECK

Three Investigations Are Under Way; 20 Dead.

(Picture on back page.)

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—With the dead list in the Southern railroad wreck at Rockmart, Ga., totaling twenty and the injured ranging in estimates from 35 to 100, three investigations have been started in an effort to determine the cause of the crash of the north bound Ponce de Leon and the south bound Royal Palm Thursday night.

Immediately after the wreck, the coroner announced he would make a probe. This was followed by action by Southern railway officials, and today news came from Washington that a federal investigation was to be made.

Railroad officials declared themselves at a loss to account for the accident. Blame has been placed squarely at the doors of the Ponce de Leon, however, as the Royal Palm was at a standstill, waiting for the first section of the Ponce de Leon to pass.

Relief Engineer in Charge.

The latter train had been instructed to take the siding to pass the Royal Palm. The train was being driven by R. M. Pierce of Rome, road foreman, who had relieved Engineer Keith a short distance from Rockmart. Pierce died early today and was too badly injured to make a statement before his death, but he is said to have understood the directions given him.

Christmas eve found hospitals in Atlanta, Cedartown and Rockmart crowded with injured. Many others, however, whose hurts were slight, had continued on their journey.

Perhaps the most pitiful case among the injured is at the Atlanta hospital, where Mrs. George Hardy, 26, of Toronto, Canada, is being treated. She was on her way home from Miami with her two children, a boy and a girl, when the crash came. She had become separated from them and had no idea that they were injured in the wreck until she was told on the train that brought her to Atlanta, that two children had been killed.

Railroad officials are confident the dead children are those of Mrs. Hardy. The mother's condition is critical.

One Victim Decapitated.

On her way to Chattanooga to join her husband there, Mrs. J. W. Whitaker, wife of the former general yardmaster for the Southern railroad, met death by being decapitated. Whitaker recently was appointed superintendent of terminals in Chattanooga.

The best known of the victims of the wreck who met death were W. L. Dynes of Atlanta and Indianapolis, and Dr. P. T. Hale, professor of evangelism at Southern Baptist Theological seminary. Dynes was on his way home to Indianapolis, where he was former president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Hale, who was en route to Louisville for a holiday, had served on many mission boards, had been president of Union university, editor of the Birmingham Baptist, and founder and first president of the Southern Baptist Educational conference.

Chicago Man Describes Wreck.

The following description of the wreck was given by John Blue of Chicago:

"I guess I was about as lucky as any one on the train. The diner was the scene of carnage—the place where all the deaths occurred—and I was the last person to walk out of that car before the crash. I had just passed through the vestibule and started down the aisle of the Pullman when the crash came. Walking rearward as I was I was not even thrown to the floor.

"I was out of the car in a moment and a minute later I was helping to extricate the body of the negro waiter, who had just pocketed my tip. The chef was pinned in his kitchen with the body of one waiter, over his head and pinned to the ceiling. The chef had to be put out with an acetylene torch, but was uninjured.

"As near as I remember, we pulled out about fifteen bodies. There must have been twenty-five or more injured.

"We carried Robert Pierce, who was at the throttle of the Leon, in a dying condition, out of his cab. His fireman, H. R. Moss, was pressed against the steel of the cab interior, scalded to death.

"No one was hurt on the Royal Palm. The engineer saw the Leon coming, he told me, shouted to his fireman to jump, shut off steam, set the brakes and leaped to safety.

"The heroism of the women on the train was remarkable. Their courage throughout the turmoil was an example for any man to follow."

Mr. Blue returned to Atlanta from Rockmart, as a passenger on the rescue train that brought a large number of injured and dead to hospitals here. He is vice president of the Session Loan and Trust company here and was returning to his family to spend the Christmas holidays with them.

WHIP YAQUIS

The map shows the scene of a hand to hand battle between rebellious Yaqui Indians and Mexican troops on the edge of the age old Yaqui stronghold, the Bacetete mountains. The Yaquis were defeated.

FAIR AND COLD WITHOUT SNOW, WEATHER TODAY

Chicago's Christmas, in the opinion of the weather bureau, will lack one element. There will be no snow on the ground. The official forecast is for fair skies and crisp air, but not extreme cold today.

Yesterday the mercury started dropping at 4 a. m., when a maximum of 38 degrees was attained. Generally fair weather prevailed.

Tomorrow, the prediction states, will be unsettled, with slowly rising temperature and probably rain or snow by night.

The front of the cold wave had reached Michigan and Indiana last night and reached southward to the west gulf coast. Falls of 20 to 30 degrees in temperature were recorded in many sections. On the contrary, there was a sharp reaction to higher temperatures in the far northwest, where subzero cold had prevailed.

WOMEN STEP IN PATH OF TRAIN; 1 KILLED, 1 HURT

A woman believed to have been Mrs. Nellie Kilday, 56 years old, was killed and Mrs. Rose Loye, 33 years old, of Desplaines, was seriously injured last night when they were struck by a Northwestern passenger train on a crossing in Desplaines.

Blinded by the headlights on the engine, the women, who were strangers to each other, stepped directly onto the tracks. Mrs. Kilday was taken to the nearby office of a physician, where she died after murmuring her name. Mrs. Loye, suffering internal injuries, was taken to the Wheeling hospital.

Surgeon Removes Piece of Bone from Child's Throat

A piece of bone which lodged in the throat of 4 year old Almo Koos of Peoria, Ill., two weeks ago, was removed yesterday by an operation performed by Dr. Edwin McGinnis at the Presbyterian hospital. At first it was thought that a piece of pickle was lodged in his throat, but it was found to be a bone. The child broke out with measles immediately after he had swallowed the bone and the operation was delayed on this account.

Drops Dead as He Trims Community Christmas Tree

Albert G. Williams, 55 years old, of 549 West 103d street dropped dead last night while decorating a Christmas tree in a hall at 103d and Wallace streets. He was chairman in charge of a committee from the Fernwood Community association, appointed to handle the tree, and other members of the committee were with him.

60 YAQUIS SLAIN IN HAND TO HAND MEXICAN BATTLE

Indians, Led by White, Make Six Charges.

BY JOHN CORNYN.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

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Guaymas, Sonora, Mexico, Dec. 24.—Sixty Yaqui Indians were killed and scores were wounded in a battle in which the Mexican soldiers and Indians fought hand to hand late yesterday afternoon at Fotam, near the southern branch of the Southern Pacific. The federal army reports twenty dead and fourteen wounded. Among the federal dead were three officers.

The severity of the battle was reflected in the report of Gen. Antonio Rios Zertuche, who said 17,000 shots were fired. The Indians offered battle and seemed determined to win or die on the battlefield.

After two hours of fighting, which is an unusual duration for the Yaquis, the Indians withdrew to the mountains. According to the statements of witnesses, the wounded were so numerous it was with difficulty that the Yaquis, who numbered more than 500, could carry them off.

Reinforcements Save Mexicans.

At times the Yaquis had the better of the fight, but the timely arrival of reinforcements sent to aid Maj. Manriques, commander of the federal forces, by Gen. Zertuche, turned the tide of the battle.

The Indians, contrary to their usual practice, rushed into battle from the ambuscade which they had laid for the federals. Five times they charged the Mexican forces, who were spread out over the plain, and lying on the ground. However, the soldiers managed to keep off the Indians for some time. Finally, the Indians charged again and broke the resistance of the federals. Then the battle became a general hand to hand encounter.

The Indians were led by a white man who spurred them on. His orders and encouragements apparently were the causes of the aggression on the part of the redskins. It is believed that other bands of Indians are prepared to reverse their methods and make attacks on the federal lines.

Mexicans Were Hunting Band.

The band which fought the federals yesterday probably was the one which Gen. Zertuche went in search of a week ago up the Valley of Death, between the eastern side of the Bacatete mountains and the Corral-Tonichi branch of the Southern Pacific. The Indians, entering the mountains, crossed the southern foothills, evidently intending to attack the federal line along the railway while Gen. Zertuche was hunting them further north. Apparently they did not know that the general had returned.

The report says that in the thick of the battle the federals were unable to reload their rifles and fought with automatic pistols, and the Indians did the same. The Yaquis were armed with the finest rifles and pistols.

Neither Side Takes Prisoners.

The seriousness of the battle was shown by the fact that no prisoners were taken by either side.

A Mexican officer said, "Never have the Yaquis taken prisoners in their long history of four centuries of fighting the white man and their Indian enemies. They not only kill all the prisoners, but they mutilate them."

HIROHITO TAKES THRONE OF JAPAN AS FATHER DIES

Holiday Fetes Give Way to Mourning.

(Continued from first page.)

shadowed by the memory of his father, the mighty Meiji Tenno. The one line in history won by Yoshihito was that he declared war upon Germany in 1914.

Meiji Tenno, his rather, came to the throne as a lad when Japan was but on the edge of its entry into the family of nations out of the self-imposed obscurity of three centuries. He grasped the reins firmly, transformed Japan from a weak, purely feudal state, into one of the great powers, the foremost nation of Asia, the conqueror in war against mammoth China and mighty Russia. He gave Japan its constitution, encouraged the teaching of modern sciences, brought what was best from the west and grafted it on to what was retainable of Japanese knowledge and culture. He was ruler in fact as well as name. His only living son, who succeeded him in 1912, the third of three sons born to Meiji, had been ruler in name, but never in fact.

Yoshihito was born on Aug. 31, 1879. Contrary to general belief, even in Japan, he was not the son of the empress, but of a court lady, Mme. Naruko Yanagiwara. The empress had but one child, a girl, who died in infancy, while the Emperor Meiji was the father of three sons and five daughters.

Reared Like Hothouse Plant.

It was during the celebration to mark the attainment of his majority by the crown prince that the emperor made his last appearance in public. After that he kept in retirement, much of the time confined to his bed, unable to take any part in affairs of state.

Yoshihito was reared as a hothouse plant. Following imperial custom in Japan, he left the palace of his parents when an infant, being intrusted to the Marquis Nakayama, in whose house in Tokio he spent his first six years. His foster mother, the empress, who was a consort worthy of the great Meiji, cared for him until her death, in 1914, when he passed into the care of the Empress Sadako, whose personality was the strongest in the imperial court.

Married in 1900.

The emperor married the Princess Sadako, daughter of Prince Kujo, on May 10, 1900. He was then 21 years old and his bride one month short of being 16. To this imperial couple have been born four sons, all strong, healthy, and keenly alert. The firstborn is Hirohito, crown prince and prince regent, who becomes emperor. He was born April 29, 1901. The other sons are: Yasuhito Chichibu-no-miya [no-miya means imperial prince], known as Prince Chichibu, "the prince of sports," who is being educated in England; Nobuhito Takamatsu-no-miya, a student at the naval academy, and Takahito Sumi-no-miya, born in December, 1915.

In rearing four spirited sons the empress had a task alone, but she has been empress as well as mother, not only taking part in the social functions of the court, but participating in no uncertain manner in the affairs of the government. As a bride she became popular with the Japanese masses, adding to her popularity as a wise mother and as a helpmeet upon whom the emperor could lean.

After the return of the crown prince from Europe, on the first visit to a western land ever made by a member of the ruling house, and after the public had been prepared for the change by a series of carefully worded statements from the imperial household department regarding the emperor's failing health, a regency was declared, with the crown prince taking the place of his father under the title of prince regent. This was in November, 1921.

WHAT TO DO ON NEW YEAR'S IS CAFE PUZZLE

Owners Given Problem by Yellowley's Drive.

What's going to happen New Year's eve? This was the question put to several hotel and café proprietors yesterday, in view of the recent announcement of E. C. Yellowley, prohibition administrator, that he would seek evidence on that festive occasion, via the observation method, for violations of the Volstead law and would ask injunctions such as were recently granted against the Moulin Rouge, the Friar's inn, and the Town club, where violations were noted.

Not only the local federal enforcement staff under Alex Jamie but detectives of the Committe of Fifteen and professional blue noses are expected to be active that night, sighting their binoculars for evidence of hip flask violations and the alcoholic strengthening of the soft drink "set ups" that have prevailed in all other celebrations of the kind.

May Be Hard on Hosts.

The problem is an unusual one for the proprietors. The patrons of the clubs and hotels may have a good time as usual, but it may be at the expense of the institutions which they elect to patronize. If the official observers for the government observe too much, the result may be an action in the federal court that will end in a padlock.

"What will happen?" the manager of the College inn was asked.

"Lots of fun," he replied.

But Eugene Byfield was not so sure.

"I am surprised that you ask me to discuss the liquor situation," he said. "Do you think I want to put my head in a noose? What do you want me to say—that we will take bottles away from patrons? All I can say is that the law will be observed."

The proprietor of the Chez Pierre said:

"Mr. Yellowley called us into conference some time ago and told us what to do. We are going to obey him. The law will be strictly observed."

The Morrison had nothing to say on the situation. The Moulin Rouge, Friars' and Town club will be open as usual, under stay of the injunction granted against them by Federal Judge Adam C. Cliffe after federal agents had merely observed the pouring of something from flasks.

They will serve mineral waters and ginger ale as of old, but the waiters are instructed to keep a careful watch to see that no one pours anything alcoholic into the glasses.

May Resort to Court Action.

Mr. Yellowley found last year on New Year's eve that the Volstead law was only reasonably enforced. His agents made but two arrests. This year, with the new federal ruling, there may be no more arrests, but where government agents observe too much the court action may be resorted to later on the evidence obtained that night.

In the mentime the town is being deluged with Canadian bourbon at $6 a pint and alcohol, contrary to expectations, is only $6 a gallon. The first grade of Scotch, such as King George, Bullock-Lade, and Queen Anne, is $90 a case, with other prices running to $75 and $50 for the third grade, which is merely a bootleg mixture. Bourbon is being doctored up this year with red pepper, but where it is reasonably high grade it demands a price of from $120 to $150 a case.

HUSBAND CALLS MILLIONAIRE HOMEBREAKER

Names Edward Baker of St. Charles, Ill.

Edward Baker, millionaire sportsman of St. Charles, Ill., was named yesterday in the testimony of Joseph Krefet, 2334 Iowa street, as the man who had broken up his home and alienated the affections of Mrs. Vera Krefet, 1408 North Massasoit avenue.

Krefet's charges were made in opposition to his wife's suit for divorce before Judge George F. Rush. After listening to the husband's evidence, which was supported by two other witnesses, Judge Rush refused to grant Mrs. Krefet a decree, dismissing her bill for want of equity.

Wife Calls Husband Cruel

Mrs. Krefet first took the stand and declared that her husband had treated her cruelly. They were married in October, 1912, and lived together until April, 1925, she said. On several occasions, he slapped her face and struck her, she told the judge.

Then Krefet testified, declaring that Baker was to blame for his wife's wishing to obtain a divorce. Baker is a relative of the late John W. Gates and is an uncle of Mrs. Dellora Angell Norris, who inherited most of the Gates millions.

"I can blame all my troubles on Baker," Krefet declared. "He gave my wife expensive presents, including a fur coat. I often saw them together riding in his automobile. He bought a home for her sister, Cecilia Dubeck, in which she is now living."

Judge Refuses Her Plea.

Krefet's two sisters, Mrs. Clara Petalke and Miss Margaret Krefet, also testified, telling of instances when they saw Baker and Mrs. Krefet together. The judge then declared that Mrs. Krefet was not entitled to a divorce.

Krefet, it was indicated after the hearing, will file a suit for alienation of affections against Baker in the near future.

HIGHLAND PARK MAN HELD FOR MISTREATING BOY

John Wollet, 43 years old, 704 Central avenue, Highland Park, was held to the grand jury yesterday by Police Magistrate A. E. Smith on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

George Rouse, 16 years old, living on Vine avenue in Highland Park, testified that on Dec. 19 Wollet took him to the forest preserve near Fort Sheridan and mistreated him.

"I was afraid to resist," said the youth, "because I had read in the Chicago newspapers of little Walter Schmith being killed when he tried to get away from a man like Wollet."

68 Blue Foxes Escape from Minnesota Farm

Anoka, Minn., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Sixty-eight blue foxes, brought here from Alaska, escaped from their temporary quarters on a farm near here today and are roaming the countryside. The animals managed to push away a loose board in the side of their quarters. The foxes, owned by a Minneapolis physician, are valued as high as $500 a pair.

Lacks Friends, Relatives; Kills Self Christmas Eve

Joseph Lynn, 50, was despondent yesterday. He told his landlord, Otto Radlot, of 18 North Sheldon street, that he didn't see any use in living when he had no friends or relatives to join in the celebration of Christmas. Last night the police broke in the door of his room to find that he had killed himself by inhaling gas.

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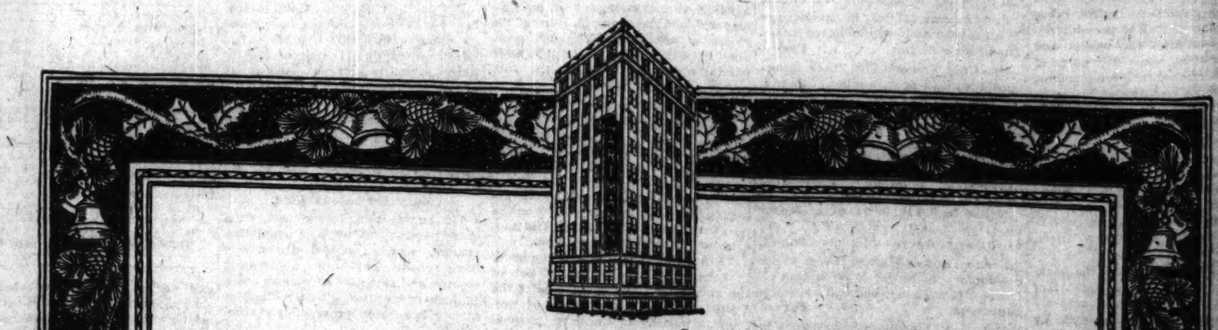

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DENEEN, HERE, TO DISCUSS SENATE SEAT WITH SMITH

Senator to Confer Over Opposition to Oath.

BY ARTHUR EVANS.

Senator Charles S. Deneen, arriving home for the holidays yesterday, said he expects to meet Frank L. Smith, senator-designate, sometime next week to discuss the situation in the senate as concerns the appointment of Mr. Smith by Gov. Small to the vacancy caused by the death of Senator William B. McKinley.

Senator Deneen had little comment to make for publication, beyond remarking that members are strongly debating the point on whether Mr. Smith, when he presents his credentials, should be allowed to take the seat pending a hearing of his case or whether the taking of the oath should be denied until the charges based on the Reed committee investigation of the Smith campaign fund are disposed of. Close friends of Senator Deneen said he has indicated a belief that Mr. Smith's delay in appearing at Washington has so far worked to his advantage, and that further procrastination may be a wise course.

Carries No Instructions.

"I am not carrying any instructions from Republicans senators to ask Mr. Smith to refrain from presenting his credentials this session," said Senator Deneen. "There has been no caucus, and I have no authority to speak for any Republican groups. I have not canvassed the senate and have no accurate knowledge of the sentiment, excepting such expressions I have heard in a casual way or in confidence.

"Some of the Republican senators have told me their views and if I meet Mr. Smith I shall tell him what I can of the situation."

Senator Deneen, according to Washington advices, is expected to lead the argument that when Mr. Smith presents his credentials, he should be seated pending a hearing of his case.

At Dwight last night Mr. Smith said he was more interested in the Christmas eve doings than in the senatorship controversy and that he has no statement to make. He expects to be in Chicago early next week.

Starts Conferences Early.

Senator Deneen expects to start conferences bright and early with his group leaders. The United States district attorneyship is first to be taken up. No one has been agreed upon as successor to Edwin A. Olson, whose term expires Jan. 2. Among those who have been suggested are Judge Daniel P. Trude, Hope Thompson and George E. Q. Johnson, a master in chancery.

The mayoralty likewise is to be taken up. Edward R. Litsinger, member of the board of review, said yesterday that his announcement will be made Monday at a luncheon at the Morrison hotel. He was given the support of the Deneen local leaders a fortnight ago subject to Senator Deneen's approval, and the senator has indicated he will give Litsinger his O. K.

Dawes Home for Christmas.

Vice President Charles G. Dawes arrived at his Evanston home for the holidays. On the same train came Dr. Hubert Work, secretary of the interior, to spend Christmas with his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bissell of Evanston.

Democratic leaders sang a lusty carol last night with a refrain, "Dever will run." The checkup late in the day showed forty-two ward committeemen out of fifty have already lined up for the mayor, and on Tuesday the organization is to descend upon the city hall with banners and speeches that he is the one Democratic hope to beat the Republican nominee, who by most prognosticators is expected to be former Mayor Thompson.

Mayor Dever remained mute yesterday, but into his demeanor crept what the politicians deemed were symptoms of a warming up to the second term proposal. Last night some of the Democratic leaders were offering to bet two to one that the mayor will run.

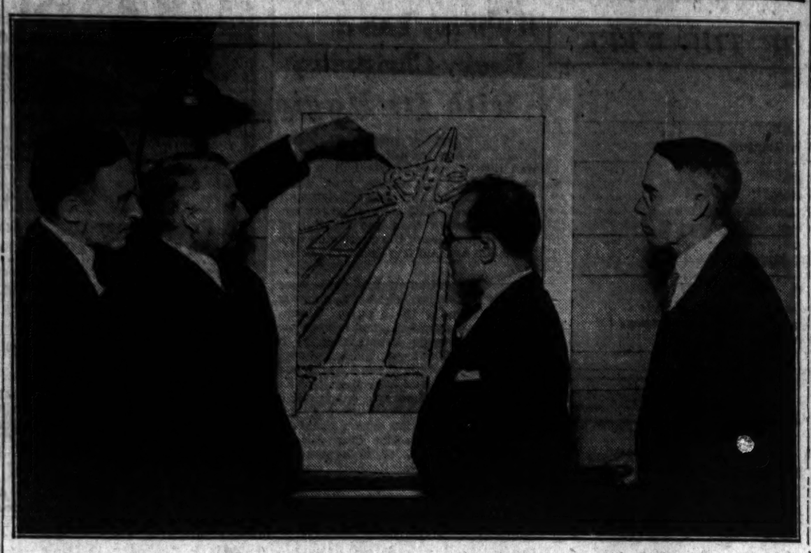
Row Over Next Sheriff.

Meanwhile the Crowe and Brundage Republican groups are not singing "Adeste Fideles" together this Christmas. The row over the successor to Sheriff Peter M. Hoffman, who says he will present his resignation to the county board Monday, has caused great dissonance.

Last night it appeared that Charles E. Graydon, the west side ice man, is set for the sheriff's office when Hoffman vacates. Graydon is the choice of the Crowe group. The Brundage men were supporting Leonard Brundage. There are four Democrats and eleven Republicans on the county board. Tribally six of the Republican members are affiliated with Crowe. Yesterday it was reported they took Charles S. Peterson into camp, making seven. Eight votes will control. The Crowe men are trying to win over William Bussee, a Deneen man. If they don't get him the Democrats are reported ready to give the necessary vote to put Graydon over.

Commissioner Peterson yesterday tossed his hat into the ring for city treasurer. So did Harry Sonnenschein, secretary to President A. J. Cermak.

INSPECT PLANS FOR SUPER-HIGHWAY



Left to right: Robert Kingery, secretary of Chicago Regional Planning association; E. L. Gates, Du Page county superintendent of highways; Barnet Rodes, zoning expert for Chicago; Maj. George A. Quinlan, Cook county superintendent of highways, looking over plans for $25,000,000 project linking Cook, Du Page, and Kane counties. [Burke & Koretke Photo.]

SMITH TO KNOCK AT SENATE DOOR JAN. 3, IS REPORT

Spoils Several G. O. P. Vacations.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Unexpected but definite assurance that Frank L. Smith, senator-esignate from Illinois, now plans to present his credentials to the senate on Jan. 3, forced Republican leaders into a secret conference today to decide what part the party organization would play in the fight, which is sure to come, of the question of whether Smith is to be barred at the door or allowed to take the oath and expelled later.

FRANK L. SMITH. [Moffett Photo.]

The upshot of several hours of discussion was a decision that for obvious political reasons—the chief one, fear of disclosing its own weakness—the organization could not afford to enter into the contest, even if any measure of solidarity among the Republicans could be achieved.

Will Vote as Individuals.

As a result, Republican senators will vote to seat or exclude Smith as their individual consciences and judgments dictate.

On one point the conferees—Senators Curtis, [Kansas]; Smoot [Utah]; Edge [N. J.]; McNary [Ore.]; Watson [Ind.]; Goff [W. Va.]; and Jones, [Wash.], agreed. If Smith is allowed to take the oath, the committee that is designated to investigate his qualifications will be required to report its recommendations within five days in the hope that the issue can be brought to the floor as soon as possible and fought out before it developed filibusters which might block passage of important legislation and thus force a special session of congress.

Keeps Senators in Capital.

The report that Smith is determined to come is regarded authoritative enough to lead several senators to cancel engagements which would have taken them out of Washington until Jan. 4 or Jan. 5.

One reason suggested today for Smith's anxiety to enter the present session in the face of so hostile a lineup is that he and Gov. Small may realize that if Smith is barred now, and again when he seeks to enter the Seventieth congress, the governor may be forced to call a special senatorial election immediately instead of making another appointment.

JOHN T. CONNERY ADOPTS HIS TWO GRANDCHILDREN

John T. Connery, president of the Edgewater Beach hotel company, yesterday legally adopted two grandchildren, John C. Rose and Mary Bidwill. Both children are living with their grandfather at the hotel.

The boy is the son of Dr. Charles M. Rose, from whom Mrs. Marguerite Connery Rose obtained a divorce four years ago. The mother died shortly after the divorce and Dr. Rose now is living in Los Angeles.

Both the parents of the little girl are dead. Her father was Joseph E. Bidwill, Jr., once clerk of the Circuit court. Her mother was Miss Mae Connery before her marriage.

BLIND SIXTEEN YEARS, HER SIGHT RESTORED BY SURGEON'S SKILL

Watertown, N. Y., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Blind for sixteen years, the sight of Miss Catherine E. Morrison of this city, was restored this morning. Living in total darkness since she attended a local grammar school, Miss Morrison was led into the light through an operation performed by Dr. James E. McAskill at the House of the Good Samaritan here.

Although Miss Morrison is no longer blind, she is deaf. Physicians, however, hope that by another operation they will restore her hearing.

FRANC STEADIED AT 4 CENTS BY MOVE OF FRANCE

PARIS, Dec. 24.—(AP)—French trade received an acceptable Christmas present today in the form of a steadied franc. Taking the situation in hand on Wednesday, the Bank of France and the French treasury succeeded in two days in putting the French unit on apparently solid ground through the simple announcement that they were ready either to take or sell dollars and pounds to any amount the speculators wanted to buy or unload.

Reliable information is that the government intends for the moment to keep the pound between 121 and 122 francs and the dollar as around 25 francs. This is taken as indicating that eventual stabilization will be in the neighborhood of 4 cents. [Par value of the franc is 20 cents.]

The movement in the direction of what today was called semi-officially "prestabilization" was well timed and carefully prepared. Premier Poincare is understood to have made up his mind that the franc could not go higher without greatly affecting economic conditions. Unemployment, while not yet serious, threatened to assume alarming proportions from the fact that it has been impossible for several weeks to do any business for next year's delivery.

Having plenty of dollars and pounds in hand, the government was prepared to grapple with speculators on both sides of the market. To steady the franc, however, it appears that little or no outlay of money was required; the mere announcement that the Bank of France was ready to satisfy all appetites of a speculative nature threw a wet blanket on everything but legitimate exchange business, and operations suddenly fell to insignificant proportions.

Horseshoer Union Chief Is Robbed of $1,206 Cash

To some people horseshoes are luck charms, but for Daniel McKillop, 5251 Lexington street, they are just iron pads on horses' hoofs. Last night McKillop, who is president of the Horseshoers' union, was getting into an automobile in the rear of his home. With him he had $1,661 belonging to the union and $45 of his own. A bandit stepped up with a revolver and took it all. McKillop reported the robbery to the police.

Urge U. S. Lift Embargo on Argentina's Meat

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Dec. 24.—(AP) — Negotiations for abandonment or modification of the United States embargo on Argentine meat, instituted because of the prevalence of foot and mouth disease among Argentine cattle, are urged by Minister of Agriculture Mihura.

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4 Highways Considered in New Project.

BY J. L. JENKINS.

A merry Christmas in 1927 for motorists west-bound from Chicago, and particularly for the drivers of Du Page and Kane counties, who have battled for months through heavy congestion and over narrow state pavements to reach the bright lights of Chicago's loop, was assured yesterday when officials of the three northern Illinois counties met in the Sherman hotel to consider final plans for west bound superhighways.

Forty Plans Submitted.

Forty detailed plans for the 200 foot roads planned on the lines of North avenue, Roosevelt road and Butterfield and Seventy-fifth streets, were submitted to the officials from contractors from all parts of the country. A prize of $1,000 will be awarded by the supervisors of Du Page county and the Metropolitan Super-highway association to the designer of the best plan.

Following the meeting it was announced that dedication of rights of way for the proposed roads practically have been completed and that both state and county funds will be used in the building of the new wide pavements.

Those Who Attended.

Joseph Miller of the state highway department represented the state administration at yesterday's meeting. Maj. G. A. Quinlan, superintendent of highways, represented Cook county, and E. L. Gates, chief of the Du Page highway system, represented Du Page county. The conference also was attended by officials of the Chicago Regional Planning association, Chicago Plan commission, and the city of Chicago.

Mr. Dust Gives Speed Cops a Merry Chase

Elmer Dust, 28 years old, 10423 Ewing avenue, lived up to his name last night in the opinion of two motorcycle policemen who arrested him on a charge of speeding. They observed him at Indianapolis boulevard and 101st street and chased him for two miles at the rate of 78 miles an hour before they caught up with him. He was locked up in a cell at East side police station.

FOUND DEAD OF GAS POISON.

Patrick O'Donnell, 65, was found dead yesterday in his room at 2022 West Monroe street. A gas burner was open near the body.

FIND McDERMOTT GUILTY IN DEATH OF OHIO EDITOR

Jury Against Hanging, as Others Were Involved.

(Picture on back page.)

Canton, O., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Patrick Eugene McDermott late today was found guilty of the murder of Don R. Mellett, editor of the Canton Daily News. It took the jury of ten men and two women exactly fifty minutes to do it. They coupled a recommendation for mercy with their finding and this means that McDermott will get live imprisonment in the Ohio penitentiary instead of the electric chair.

It means also that the trials of Ben Rudner and Louis Mazer, who were jointly indicted with McDermott, will go forward early in January and that possibly others will be indicted and tried.

The plea of McDermott's lawyers to send him back to his aged mother in Nantyglo, Pa., to spend Christmas is denied, but his mother, luckily, knows nothing of his plight.

Some Sobbers on the Jury.

Most of the jury of ten men and two women were weeping as they came back to the court room for reading of the verdict. Many of them, it is explained, have sons the age of Pat, 23.

Mellett's widow, a diminutive woman scarely larger than the oldest of the four children clustered around her, sat among the spectators, weeping.

Pat sat with his face cupped in his hands. He was flushed and nervous. "Gee, they were fast," was his only comment.

Three days were allowed for the filing of new motions before the formal passing of sentence. Judge Diehl commented that he would defer sentence "until after Christmas."

Pat a Poor Witness.

There were few people in the court room when the verdict was returned. Everybody had expected an early verdict, but not one quite so soon. Ever since Pat's attempt to tell his own story, as a witness in his own behalf, the feeling had prevailed that there would be a conviction, because Pat's conduct all through his time on the stand was that of an unruly school boy.

Editor Mellett was slain from ambush at his garage door on the morning of July 16 last. There has been but one theory of the crime—that he was slain by the underworld as the result of his efforts to stop petty crimes and political corruption in Canton.

"All the Murderers Not Found."

McDermott, it was asserted, was the underworld's hireling paid to do the job. Prosecutor McClintock asserts that all of the murderers have not yet been found.

The cases of Rudner and Mazer, co-defendants of McDermott, will be put in the hands of Henry W. Harter, county prosecutor-elect, who announces that they probably will be brought to trial in February. Mr. Harter has assisted Prosecutor McClintock in the trial of McDermott.

Robbers Take Butcher's Cash and Last Turkey

Two armed men walked into the meat market of William Eller, 450 Root street, last night. Eller was wrapping up the last turkey in the shop and little Charley Staeger, 11 years old, whose mother had ordered the fowl, was waiting for it. The robbers forced the merchant and the young customer into the ice box and left with $60 of Eller's money and the turkey that Charley went to get.

Mrs. E. A. Jordan Gives Him Present of Divorce Suit

Mrs. Evelyn Anderson Jordan, 9204 Hamilton avenue, Beverly Hills, yesterday filed suit for divorce against James F. Jordan, general manager of the Jordan Manufacturing company, whom she accused of cruelty. She charged her husband celebrated last July 4 by threatening to shoot her. She asked alimony, declaring that Jordan has an income of $20,000 a year.

FIND FAMILY OF 9 SLAIN; FATHER TRIES TO END LIFE

Mother and Children Ax Murder Victims.

Farwell, Tex., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Dazed and delirious after stabbing himself three times, George J. Hassell, 45, was unable tonight to give police an explanation of the deaths of his wife and her eight children, whose bodies were found today in a dugout on their farm, three miles from here.

A charge of murder was filed against Hassell tonight.

As Hassell was being questioned by officers earlier in the day he stabbed himself with a pocket knife. He was brought to a hospital here and doctors reported that he was dying. Police were called to the farm by anonymous reports that Hassell had been acting strangely and that his family, whom he announced several day ago were visiting in Oklahoma, could not be located.

After Hassell stabbed himself, a search of the farm revealed the bodies in the dugout, which had caved in. A blood covered ax was found nearby. The bodies had been buried about three weeks authorities believe.

The children, who were Hassell's step-children, ranged in age from two to twenty-one. The youngest child apparently had been choked to death, and the others had been slain with an ax.

Bodies of the mother and the three younger children had been placed in one corner of the cave. The oldest son was in a sitting posture in another corner. The bodies of the other children had been laid with considerable care between the son and the other group. The dead besides the mother are: Alton, 21; Virgil, 18; Maud, 14; Russell, 12; David, 7; John, 6; Mami, 4, and Sammie, 2.

Hassell's brother died two years ago and Hassell married the brother's widow, assuming the care of the eight children. Authorities are unable to assign a motive for the slaying. Neighbors say that, about a month ago, Hassell had complained that his wife had asked him to refrain from using liquor. He declared, it is said, that he was fond of the children and was going to "mend his ways."

Bank officials became interested in the condition of the family when Hassell deposited $1,500 from the sale of property on his farm. This was about a week after the family disappeared. He is said to have remarked at that time that he intended to join them in Oklahoma.

AD BARES RIFT IN 2D ROMANCE OF T. F. MANVILLE

(Picture on back page.)

New York, Dec. 24.—(AP)—An advertisement signed T. F. Manville Jr., heir to the bulk of the $30,000,000 estate of the late head of the Johns-Manville Asbestos corporation of New York, was accepted today by the World as an announcement of the separation of Manville and his wife, Lois.

"Having left my bed and board on or about Nov. 24, I hereby notify the public that I am not responsible to any one for debts or action of any nature incurred by Mrs. T. F. Manville Jr.," the advertisement said.

At his residence Mr. Manville told a reporter that he contemplated court action, but that "that would take care of itself."

Mrs. Manville was formerly Lois Arline McCoin of Lawrence, Kas. They were married on Sept. 30, last year. She was his second wife.

Mr. Manville first married in 1911, when he was just 17 and his bride, Florence E. Huber of the 1911 "Follies," was 20. They were divorced in 1922.

Dump Gasoline Into Sewer to Avoid Fire Hazard

(Picture on back page.)

Hundreds of gallons of gasoline were poured from a Sinclair Oil company tank truck into a sewer at Chicago and Oak Park avenues, Oak Park, yesterday while a crowd of several hundred persons looked on. The dumping became necessary when a seam in the tank was loosened and the sewer was opened to prevent the gasoline from drenching the pavements and creating a fire hazard.

Prince Carol Missing; Bound for Roumania, Paris Hears

PARIS, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Carol, former crown prince of Roumania, has been absent from his home in Neuilly, a suburb of Paris, for more than thirty hours. Although a lone servant at his villa said this evening, "My master may return tonight," diplomatic circles aver that the prince is on the way to Bucharest to resume the prerogatives of the Hohenzollern dynasty which he renounced some months ago. Neighbors of "Mr. Caraiman," as he is known in Neuilly, believe that he has just advanced his Christmas celebration.

Reports current in Neuilly say that Prince Carol's private secretary boarded the Simplon express going in the direction of Bucharest Thursday night. Others say that Prince Carol left in an automobile Thursday afternoon in time to catch the Simplon express leaving Paris at 3:30 p. m. Thursday. It is also reported that Carol boarded the express at the first stop after leaving Paris, as he did not want to enter the train at the Paris terminal.

Say Magda Was Missing.

Yet there are friends of Carol who say he was seen in Montmartre resorts early this morning dancing to syncopated music, but that Mme. Magda Lupescu, who came with him to France from Roumania and who has been his constant companion, was not with him.

These friends are certain that the prince has separated from Mme. Lupescu and that she now is living about a mile from his villa. They describe the demeanor of Carol for the last three months as that of a man who has seen a great light. They say he appears desirous of having the public at large, and especially the people of Roumania, forget the past.

King Ferdinand, although he agreed to the renunciation of rights to the throne by Carol at the time, now is desirous that he come back to Roumania. One story here says when the king made this wish known Premier Averescu and the members of the government refused, Minister of Interior Goga saying to the king: "I will have him shot if he returns."

Royal Wit Replies.

The ailing king, with a shadow of a smile is reported to have replied: "Be careful he doesn't have you shot."

Whether Carol actually has left Paris for Bucharest or whether, tired out, he will return to his Neuilly home on Christmas morning, will not make any difference in the ultimate settlement of the Roumanian dynastic problem, in the opinion of observers here. There are many Roumanians in Bucharest, according to these observers, who emphasize that Carol must come back to the country, as they refuse to entertain the idea of a regency until the present crown prince, Michael, young son of Carol by his marriage to Princess Helen, reaches the age of 18, as prescribed in the Roumanian constitution.

If Carol does return to Roumania, it will mean the overthrow of Premier Averescu and his régime, and the eclipse of former Premier Bratiano, long a power in Roumanian affairs. Carol has announced he will insist that the national peasants party, the second largest group in the chamber, be called into power.

These deputies are all young, energetic Roumanians. Their program calls for recognition of Russia, an amicable arrangement of the Bessarabian problem, and settlement of the Danube question in a friendly way with Great Britain, France and Italy, but still maintaining the present position of the little entente.

Christmas Dinner

In accordance with long established custom, Christmas dinner at Henrici's today will be upon the sensible and satisfactory a la carte plan. The dinner menu will be in service from early noon to late in the evening, followed by a special a la carte late supper menu.

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6 AUTO DEATHS BOOST TOLL FOR YEAR UP TO 864

Heavy Holiday Traffic Is Blamed for Crashes.

Five deaths due to automobile accidents were recorded yesterday. The rush of pre-Christmas traffic in the streets was blamed for the increasing of the county motor toll for the year to 863. The dead:

William Newman, 4 years old, 7633 Lowe avenue. Ran into an alley in the rear of his home and was struck by a truck driven by Samuel Spiguzza, 25 years old, 283 South Wells street. The driver told police the accident was unavoidable.

Driver Fails to Stop.

Frank Conley, 40 years old, 333 East 56th street. Struck by a taxicab as he was crossing 53d street at Cottage Grove avenue. The driver of the cab did not stop and police are searching for him.

Mrs. Anna Repetto, 52 years old, 3602 Grace street. Found in the street near her home suffering from injuries supposedly from being struck by an automobile. Police are investigating the accident.

Train-Auto Crash Fatal.

Julian Blottiaux, 42 years old, 1841 West 43d street. Struck by an automobile driven by George Simons, 7245 Bennett avenue. The accident occurred Dec. 22 near 41st street and South Park way.

Longen Bonelis, 32 years old, 1100 Union avenue, Chicago Heights. Riding in his automobile, which was struck by a Chicago and Eastern Illinois freight train at Steger, Ill. An inquest to determine responsibility for the accident will be held Jan. 11.

Mrs. Ida Burdowsky, 26 years old, 1510 West Roosevelt road, was fatally injured last night when she was struck by an automobile while crossing the street in front of 1730 West Roosevelt road. The driver of the car did not stop. She was taken to the Mount Sinai hospital, where she died.

Four Hurt in "L" Crash.

Three men and a woman were seriously injured late last night when an automobile in which they were riding was struck at 54th avenue and 22d street, Cicero, by an elevated train. Trains at that point operate on the surface.

The injured were William Wisel and his wife Anna, 5001 Crystal street, and Forest Woods and his wife Jessie, 4933 Cortez street. The Wisels and Mrs. Woods were taken to the Austin hospital. Mrs. Woods' injuries were said to be serious.

LAST OF THREE ALLEGED SLAYERS FREE ON BONDS

Michael Sexton, 31, admitted slayer of Edward Dunn, vice president of the Afro-American Flat Janitors' union, was allowed his liberty yesterday by Judge Harry B. Miller in the Criminal court on bonds of $35,000.

The judge granted the bail motion after a hearing in which the police, who at the time were said to have seen the shooting, the result of union rivalry, testified they did not see it, but only heard the shots and then chased and arrested three men, of whom Sexton was one, after a short chase.

Albert Cress and Thomas Connors, co-defendants of Sexton, were released on bonds some weeks ago. They testified that Dunn had threatened to "cut Sexton's head off and hide it" and had made a motion to his pocket as though to draw a weapon. Chief Justice William J. Lindsay allowed Cress and Connors bond soon after the shooting.

Sexton, Cress and Connors are members of the flat janitors' union presided over by William Quesse. Dunn ran a rival organization. He refused to join Quesse's union.

COURT O. K.'s MERRY PARTY.

David and Thomas De Coursey, of 60 West 76th street, were dismissed in the Grand Crossing court yesterday on a charge of disorderly conduct. They were taken into custody about a month ago when a party they attended became too boisterous.

WIFE OF PRESIDENT HELPS MAKE HAPPY CHRISTMAS FOR POOR

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, carrying out her annual custom, today helped two charitable organizations distribute Christmas gifts and food to the poor of Washington. In the morning, she personally handed out toys and candy to hundreds of children at the Central Union Mission's Christmas party, fondling each child as she gave away the presents.

MRS. CALVIN COOLIDGE. (U. & U.)

In the afternoon she distributed hampers of food to 450 poor families at the Salvation Army headquarters. When asked to speak, visibly moved, she replied, "I would be dumb if I could not open my mouth on an occassion like this."

At the morning party, held on the stage of a theater the President's wife, with a group of little ones clinging to her skirts and with one of them in her arms, wished "everybody a merry Christmas" and called for three cheers for Santa Claus.

LEAGUE INVITES U. S. TO WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Notification was received at the state department today that the United States had been invited to send delegates to the international economic conference under the auspices of the league of nations, to be held in Europe next May.

The notification was received from Theodore Malloney, American chargé d'affaires at Berne, who received the invitation from the secretariat of the league and is forwarding it by mail.

There has become apparent a feeling that it would perhaps be unwise for the United States to enter, even through unofficial spokesmen, a conference in Europe that might throw open to discussion by representatives of other countries such questions as the American customs tariff, immigration restriction and possibly further modification or even cancellation of the war debts.

On the other hand, some officials believe the United States may well accept the invitation in order that its position on such questions might be set forth by its own citizens and not be subjected to unanswered criticism by others.

Three Mine Stock Salesmen Sought on Charges of Fraud

Judge Francis Allegretti yesterday at the request of the Hargraves Secret Service agency issued warrants for four former salesmen of the stock of the Las Animas Mining & Milling company of Old Mexico. Those named are Walter T. Larsen, 1657 Gregory street; Milton Denny, 210 North Grove avenue, Oak Park; George W. Ray, 6040 Harper avenue, and Roy Pipes, said to be in Mexico—a fugitive. They are charged with defrauding clients out of $100,000.

Yank Radios Xmas Card to Europe; May Be Baruch

New York, Dec. 24.—(AP)—A photo-radiogram sent as a Christmas card to several crowned heads of Europe today is believed to be that of Bernard M. Baruch, New York financier. The New York World says Mr. Baruch's picture and Christmas greetings were transmitted across the Atlantic by the new radio-photo process. High officials in Washington and several Wall street business leaders sent radio-photos to friends from here today.

James Todd May Replace Righeimer, School Attorney

Replacement of Frank S. Righeimer as attorney for the board of education is contemplated early in the year, it was learned last night. James Todd, former assistant states attorney and attorney for the sanitary district from 1900-1905, will be the successor, Democratic chieftains intimated.

BOOKS

Title Only Poor Part of Newman Novel, "Virgin"

By Fanny Butcher.

"The Hard Boiled Virgin," by Frances Newman. [Boni & Liveright.]

There was as much excitement over the publication of "The Hard Boiled Virgin" as about any novel this season. Frances Newman had done a really distinguished piece of literary work in her short story anthology "The Short Story's Mutations," on a theory of the most delightful as well as erudite. She had written very little, but that little was of the greatest distinction. What her first novel would be was at the same time a conjecture and a pleasant certainty. The certainty was that whatever it was, it would be worth while. The conjecture was just how worth while it would be.

FRANCES NEWMAN.

I confess that to me the title of this wholly misnamed book is such a jar and so completely out of place that it is prejudicial at the outset. It sounds like a cheap flapper story of the modern age, which might have been done for sensation and for nothing else. As a matter of fact, there is nothing on earth hard boiled about the heroine, and since she ceases to be a virgin, the title is just a gesture, and an extremely cheap and tawdry gesture.

The title, however, is the only cheap and tawdry thing about the book. It is an important contribution to American novel writing, as much perhaps for its technique as for anything else. Miss Newman has chosen to tell her story without one word of direct conversation. It is an alluring method (not new, however, for Virginia Woolf has been doing it in part for a long time and James Joyce did it for mountainous pages in "Ulysses"). It seems to me that the method does not perfectly fit the material, for the heroine of the book is very southern and congenial, though ruthlessly, almost bitterly honest with herself, and a chattier method would have been more in the mood. But that is something for an author to decide herself, and having chosen this modernistic method, Miss Newman has brought off her job with great skill.

You can understand why she insisted on the title after you have finished the book, for her "virgin" spent most of her time being a virgin. She was actively engaged in that pursuit practically throughout the book. And any one who has lived during the last thirty years or so realizes how many heroines in life have done just that. The virgin rampant she might have named it, although that is rather an echo of the "Hausfrau Papmant" except that any title with virgin in it sounds like a movie caption.

Anyway, Miss Newman has told the story of a girl carefully reared in the south, not pretty, and a younger daughter (which is much more trying than being a younger son) and always being a great author in her dreams. The book is so obviously autobiographical and is done with such frankness that sometimes, if you've any at all of the Victorian blood left in your veins, you wonder how she could do it. But that, again, is her problem, not the reader's. Certainly she has done a book which has not been done before in these United States, at least. There is nothing salacious about it, nothing put in to pander, nothing to make an impression, and yet it is a profoundly outspoken and honest book.

There is an amusing side light on "The Hard Boiled Virgin." Some of the characters are so thinly veiled as to be recognizable by any one who knows them. They tell a story of a very famous author who was accosted by another famous author with the news "You know you're in Frances' book. . . ." "My God," said the famous author without waiting to hear any more, "She didn't put THAT in!"

BEST SELLERS OF THE WEEK

FICTION.

"Chevrons," by Leonard Nason.
"Galahad," by John Erskine.
"Introduction to Sally," by "Elizabeth."
"The Romantic Comedians," by Ellen Glasgow.
"Sweepings," by Lester Cohen.
"Revelry," by Samuel Hopkins Adams.

NONFICTION.

"The Story of Philosophy," by Will Durant.
"Abraham Lincoln," by Carl Sandburg.
"Our Times," by Mark Sullivan.

AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

"Dark Dawn," by Martha Ostenso.
"Early Autumn," by Louis Bromfield.
"Sorrell and Son," by Warwick Deeping.
"Why We Behave Like Human Beings," by George A. Dorsey.
"Stranger than Fiction," by Lewis Browne.
"Our Times," by Mark Sullivan.

CONFESSIONS

Lester Cohen's "Sweepings" has been one of the best sellers in Chicago, and well it may be, because it is the inside story of one of the most spectacular of the families in town during the days when much of the village was pretty simple and there was little competition in the business of going to the dogs. Only a generation ago that was, too. It is a movie-like tale, with one great moment after another, but with a certain fundamental reality to it. It is Lester Cohen's first novel. When I asked the author what book he would rather have written than any other he replied:

Dear Miss Butcher:

Balsac taught me the passions.

Dostoievski took me through the maze of the human mind.

Goethe showed me the soul.

But you are asking for an emotional and temperamental, rather critical reaction. It is "The Brothers Karamazov" that made me feel, as I read it, that I would rather have written it than any other novel.

That notwithstanding, there are passages of "The Comédie Huane" that to me are infinitely greater than the whole of the Dostoievski book — but they seem fitted in, almost extraneous to the stories that contain them—while there is not a line about the Karamazovs I would do without.

There is the feeling of awkwardness and embarrassment in public confessional—the sense of unburdening one's self of secrets that no one is interested in. Had the Catholic church employed public confessional it would have long since been forgotten.

Beware!

Lester Cohen

BOOKS RECEIVED

FICTION.

"The Rebel Bird," by Diana Patrick [Dutton].

SHORT STORIES.

"The Best Short Stories of 1926," edited by Edward J. O'Brien [Dodd, Mead].

"The Enchanted Radio," by Lillian Sincere Ahrens [Austin].

JUVENILE.

"The Dream Coach," by Anny and Dillwyn Parrish [Macmillan].

NON-FICTION.

"The Life of Joseph Rucker Lamar," by Clarinda Pendleton Lamar [Putnam].

"Josiah Gregg's Commerce of the Prairies," by Milo Milton Quaife [Lakeside Press].

"The Sociology of Rural Life," by Horace Boies Hawthorn, Ph. D. [Century].

"The Diary of Arthur Christopher Benson," edited by Percy Lubbock [Longman's Green].

"The History of Woodstock, Connecticut," by Clarence W. Bowen, Ph. D., LL. D. [Plimpton Press].

PLAYS.

"The Plays of Richard Brinsley Sheridan," edited by Iolo A. Williams [Dial].

TRAVEL.

"Vivid Spain," by Joe Mitchell Chapple [Chapple Publ. Co.].

"Adventuring," by Adam Breede [Hitchcock].

VERSE.

"Collected Poems of John G. Neihardt" [Macmillan].

"Serenade," by Hugh Western [Hill].

"Ports of Call," by Lena Whittaker Blakeney [Vinal].

"The Silver Snake and other Verse," by Bell Elliott Palmer II [McKinney].

"My Antonio" Out in New Edition; Still Among Best

"My Antonia," by Willa Cather. [Houghton-Mifflin.]

There is no finer book in the American metier than Willa Cather's "My Antonia." It still remains for many of us the greatest piece of work of the greatest of American women novelists. It was published during the war and although it doesn't seem possible that any one who cares for American literature doesn't know about it, there are many who have not read it. Miss Cather has written a new introduction to adorn the new edition, which was published this fall. If you are one of the unfortunate ones who missed it you are among the fortunate ones who still have it before you, a joyous experience.

We Wish You a Booky Christmas, with Its Magic

"And a merry Christmas to all." When we were children there was always one of us who had to learn to "speak" the verses that begin "'Twas the night before Christmas," wasn't there? And most of us remember little more than the bowlful of jellylike qualities of the gentleman who made the archaic trip down the chimney.

But the mention of that poem does bring back to us an echo of the glamour that surrounded those days. Christmas was a perfectly logical reward for a year's struggle culminating in a couple of weeks of angelic carefulness, and, although at times our sense of our own goodness must have been a little nauseating to others, and our minds a little torn by the obvious discrepancies of reward and action which could be caused by nothing else than a total blindness and lack of understanding on the so-called saint's part, we did have a certain normal happy sense of everything being comparatively well with the world and the state of Christmas. Santa Claus was really our ideal of the state of being translated above the ordinary humdrums and exalted to a state of excitement and joy which, though we well knew it wasn't permanent, we could luxuriate in.

The nearest that you and I can ever come to that state again is in books. They are the Santa Clauses of our adulthood. They offer us complete translation from our own lives into the lives of others and into other places and things. They appear as mysteriously—so far as we are concerned—as Santa Claus himself. He boons to us without the slightest physical effort on our own part. They are eternal like the good old saint, and the only demand they make upon us is the demand that he makes upon children, that they really care about him and welcome him with joy.

If you were not one of those who has already found the joy and the magic quality of books you would not be spending a part of this day reading this paragraph, so I cannot wish for you to find the saint, but I can wish you deeper and deeper intimacy with him. And I can assure you that as the years go more and more swiftly (as they do miraculously, or sadly, as you think, with their passing) the Santa Claus magic of books, the quality of shutting out your own life and its harassings, grows more and more potent. A booky Christmas, then, to all.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

CHURCHES OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST,
SUBJECT DEC. 26:
"CHRISTIAN SCIENCE."
Sunday, 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M.
FIRST CHURCH—4017 Drexel-blvd. Reading room, 3930 Drexel-blvd.
SECOND CHURCH—Wrightwood and Pine Grove-avs. Reading room, 2621 N. Clark-st.
THIRD CHURCH—2151 Washington-blvd. Reading room, 2521 W. Madison.
FOURTH CHURCH—Harvard-av. and Marquette-rd. Reading room, 6308 Harvard-av.
FIFTH CHURCH—4840-50 Dorchester-av. Reading room, 4707 Lake Park-av.
SIXTH CHURCH—11321 Prairie-av. Reading room, 11104 Indiana-av. Sr. Sun. svc. serv.
SEVENTH CHURCH—5318 Kenmore-av. Reading room, 1054 Wilson-av.
EIGHTH CHURCH—4339 S. Michigan-av. Reading room, 112 E. 44th-st.
NINTH CHURCH—6154 Woodlawn-av. Reading room, 6248 Kimbark-av.
TENTH CHURCH—5040 Blackstone. Reading room, 5300 Blackstone-av.
ELEVENTH CHURCH—2340 Logan-blvd. Reading room, 2050 Logan-blvd.
TWELFTH CHURCH—635 Grace-st. Reading room, 728 Grace-st.
THIRTEENTH CHURCH—10317 Longwood-dr. Sunday, 10:30 a. m. Reading room, 11041 Hale-av.
FOURTEENTH CHURCH—Corner Sunnyside and Paulina. Reading room, 1930 Montrose.
FIFTEENTH CHURCH—301 N. Central-av. Reading room, 6523 W. Lake-st., Austin.
SIXTEENTH CHURCH—7201 N. Ashland-av. Reading room, 7123 N. Clark-st.
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY—The Masonic temple, 32 W. Randolph-st. Extra testimonial meeting Wednesday noon.
EIGHTEENTH CHURCH—Bryn Mawr public school, Jeffery-av., near 73d-st. Reading room, 2253 E. 71st-st.
SUBURBAN CHURCHES.
EVANSTON—FIRST CHURCH—Chicago-av. and Grove. Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. and Wednesday, 8 p. m. Reading room, 1609 Chicago-av.
GLENCOE—FIRST CHURCH—Vernon and Hazel-avs. Sunday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m. Reading room, 527 Park-av.
WILMETTE—FIRST CHURCH—Central-av. and 10th. Sunday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m. Reading room, 1163 Wilmette-av.
These are branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

RADIOCASTING:
SEVENTH CHURCH, SUNDAY, 10:40 A. M. WEBR, 370 METERS.
FIFTH CHURCH, SUNDAY, 7:40 P. M. WMBB, 250 METERS.

Christian Science Lectures
By Members of the Board of Lectureship.
SIXTEENTH CHURCH—Monday, Dec. 27, 8 p. m., in church edifice.
FIFTEENTH CHURCH—Tuesday, Dec. 28, 8 p. m., in church edifice.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
"Chicago Temple."
Clark and Washington-sts.
Dr. John Thompson, Minister
CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE.
11 A. M.
"Christmas on Earth and in Heaven."
DR. THOMPSON PREACHING.
Sunday, December 26,
10:45 A. M.
"All Life a Serial Story."
8:00 P. M.
"Harmonies in Life."
DR. THOMPSON PREACHING.
Double Quartet—Christmas Music.
ARTHUR DUNHAM, DIRECTOR.
WATCH NIGHT SERVICE
DECEMBER 31, 10:30 P. M.
Preaching and Communion.

GRACE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
N. LA SALLE AT LOCUST-ST.
Charles Copeland Smith,
MINISTER.
11:00 a. m.: Dr. Merrill J. Holmes will preach.
No evening service.
Next Sunday morning: "Can Peter Grimm Return?"

PRESBYTERIAN.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
1936 S. Michigan-av.
[Any south side bus to the door.]
Dr. W. Clyde Howard,
PASTOR.
11 A. M.:
"The Glory of the New."
7:45 P. M.:
Christmas Cantata.
"The Coming of the King."
SUNG BY
Orpha Kendall Holsman, Lilian Knowles, Arch Cannon, Edward Davies, Philip Mantel, organist and director.
A Cordial Welcome to All.

CHURCH OF THE COVENANT,
S. E. Cor. Belden-av. and N. Halsted-st.
2300 NORTH
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11 a. m.: "The Ars of Gold."
8 p. m.: "The Shepherd."
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Dr. W. A. Morgan preaching.
7:45 p. m.: "The Manger and the New Year." Special music. The Manger Babe—Lester.
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Christmas Carols.
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Christmas Music Will Be Repeated.
Chorus of 100 voices under Dr. Shannon. Protheroe will sing
CAROLS.
"The First Noel."
"When the Sun Has Gone to Rest."
"Hail, All Hail the Glorious Morn."
"The Angels and the Shepherds."
"Carol for 1926"—Daniel Protheroe.
Men's chorus—"O, Come, All Ye Faithful." Reading arranged by Dr. Shannon.
Women's Chorus. "The Virgin's Slumber Song"—Max Reger.
Chorus—"Hallelujah!" [Messiah]—Handel.
Christmas Carols at 10:45.
All Are Welcome.

Sunday Afternoon at 3:30
MOODY BIBLE INSTITUTE AUDITORIUM.
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Rev. James M. Gray, D. D.
"What Is the Gospel of Christ?"
Talmage J. Bittekofer, Soloist.

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Pastor P. W. Philpott
10:45 a. m.—"Was Jesus More Than Man?"
3:30 p. m.—"Will Jesus Come Again?"
7:30 p. m.—"The People's Hymns." Addresses by Rev. Howard Hermansen.
6:40-8 p. m.—Song service.
A Great WATCH NIGHT Service on Friday night next from 10 to 12 o'clock. Lunch Supper at 11:30.
CHRISTMAS CANTATA on Monday evening, Dec. 27, at 7:45 by the Choir. ALL FREE. Over 4,000 seats. Doors open at 7 o'clock.

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Christmas Day:
8 and 10:30 a. m., Holy Communion.
Sunday After, Dec. 26:
8 and 10:00 a. m., Holy Communion.
11 a. m., Choral Eucharist.
MUSIC CHRISTMAS EVE AND SUNDAY.
11 A. M.
Stainer's Mass.
Processional, "Joy to the World" ..... Introit, "Silent Night" .....
Gradual, "Away in a Manger" ..... Tours
Solo, "Christmas Lullaby" .....
Hymn, "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" .....
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11:00 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon.
Sunday Services, Dec. 26:
8:00 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:45 a. m. School of Religion.
11:00 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
Dr. Browne, Preacher.

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ROBERT VAN METER.
Services: 9:30, 11, 6:45, 7:45.
11 a. m.: "The Perpetual Altar Fire."
7:45 p. m.: "The Wonderful Person of Jesus."
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Hearts of Michigan Celery en Branche — Garden Radishes
Mixed Jumbo Olives — Salted Jordan Almonds
CHOICE OF
Fresh Lobster with Mushrooms Saute, Newburg en Cocotte
Filet Mignon of Beef, Sauce Bernaise, Argenteuil
Grilled French Lamb Chops with Bacon, Coquelicot
Sirloin Steak Saute a la Minute, Cabaret
Roast Young Pig with Dressing, Apple Sauce
Roast Stuffed Watertown Goose, Plum Compote
Roast Young Vermont Turkey, Old-Fashioned Cranberry Sauce
Special Baked, Mashed, Candied Sweet or au Gratin Potatoes
Heart of Lettuce or La Salle Jumbo White Asparagus Salad
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English Plum Pudding, Hard and Lemon Sauce
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(A Christmas Editorial)

STAR—BABE—STABLE

Only three words! Instantly one's thought and vision go back to a little village in Palestine, nineteen hundred years ago. What a tremendous influence on the world was there! From it came the present civilization. Today and all the tomorrows shall the world celebrate.

May we not resolve that in business, as well as in the home—the spirit of Christmas should be ever present—not for an hour—a day—a week—but through all the year.

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GOULDS END TEN YEAR WAR OVER JAY'S MILLIONS

Sign $20,000,000 Peace Pact for Christmas.

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—After ten years of bitter litigation which has cost more than $3,000,000, attorneys for the fifty odd heirs of Jay Gould met today and placed the final stamp of approval upon a compromise settlement over the disputed $82,000,000 estate.

FRANK J. GOULD.

The agreement involves more than $20,000,000 and provides for the payment of $2,000,000 to each of the six trust funds created by Jay Gould and, in addition, for the payment of $2,750,000 each to Frank J. Gould and the Duchess of Talleyrand [Anna Gould], the only children of Jay Gould who were life beneficiaries but not trustees of the estate.

The proposed settlement will be submitted to Referee O'Gorman Tuesday.

Family Wants Harmony.

The reason for the compromise, as given to the public, was that all of the members of the Gould family desired to reëstablish harmonious relations among themselves.

The family strife started in 1916 when the other heirs sought to force George J. Gould to render an accounting of his stewardship of the bulk of the estate. It was made more acrimonious by the marriage of George J. Gould to Guinivere Sinclair after the death of his first wife, Edith Kingdon Gould, in 1922.

George J. had seven children by his first wife. By his second wife, Guinivere Sinclair, he had, according to Referee O'Gorman's findings, three children born out of wedlock.

The fact that he married his second wife without the consent of his brothers and sisters violated one of the provisions of the will of his father. This provision was invoked, the other children assailing his control of the estate and challenging his participation because of the second marriage.

Details of Settlement.

The sums of $2,000,000 with interest at 5 per cent from June 1, 1926, will be paid by Edwin Gould, Helen G. Shepard, Howard Gould and the executors of the estate of George J. Gould to six trust funds created by the will of the late Jay Gould. These are trust funds for George J. Gould, Edwin Gould, Helen G. Shepard, Howard Gould, Duchess de Talleyrand, and Frank J. Gould. The sums of $2,750,000, with interest from June 1, 1926, will be paid to each of the trust funds created for the last two persons named.

The three children of Guinivere Sinclair Gould will not emerge empty handed from the agreement, inasmuch as Edwin Gould, Helen G. Shepard and Howard Gould, the three living trustees, agree to pay to them a total of $300,000 to be held as three trust funds, each of $100,000. The same trustees also agree to pay $50,000 each to the seven children of George J. Gould by his first marriage.

THE LITTLE BOY WHO NEVER GROWS OLD

FINISH PRESENT NAVAL BUILDING FIRST—COOLIDGE

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Authorization for construction of ten additional naval cruisers will merely round out the fleet without placing this country in any competition over armament with other nations, according to the view of President Coolidge. It is the President's policy to avoid anything of a competitive character.

The President desires that full credit be given the house committee on naval affairs for the program for the building of ten cruisers as embodied in the bill introduced by Representative Butler [Rep., Pa.]

Would Wait a Year.

The President understood the members of the committee to agree that the ten cruiser program would take the place of the construction of the three remaining cruisers authorized in 1924. It was the President's suggestion that the time limit for commencing construction of the three cruisers, which was fixed at June 30, 1927, in the 1924 act, should be extended. He did not believe their construction at present was justified in view of the heavy expense involved in the building of two airplane carriers, each of which is costing approximately $45,000,000.

Accordingly the President has felt that no new construction obligations should be undertaken in the coming fiscal year but thought the condition of the treasury would justify it during the following year.

No Treaty Limit on Cruisers.

By authorizing the construction of ten cruisers without any time limit the President thinks it unnecessary to extend the time for commencing work on the three remaining to be built.

The Washington arms treaty did not place any limitation upon the number of cruisers which might be constructed by any nation, but merely limited their size.

AILING, WOMAN DIES IN LAKE.

Mrs. Katherine Nelson, 58 years old, who was ill and who was drowned when she leaped into the lake near her home at 516 Orchard lane, Winnetka, early yesterday, committed suicide while mentally unbalanced, a coroner's jury later decided.

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$3,500,000 IS DEEMED AMPLE FOR WATERWAY

Plenty Even Without Diversion: Jadwin.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Maj. Gen. Jadwin, chief of engineers, today expressed the opinion that the $3,500,000 authorized in the river and harbor bill for the improvement of the Illinois river would be sufficient to construct an adequate nine foot waterway to the Mississippi, even if the diversion from Lake Michigan is later cut to 1,000 cubic second feet.

In reply to criticism leveled at the smallness of the authorization for the building of the Illinois link in the Lakes-to-the-Gulf waterway, Gen. Jadwin produced figures taken from official surveys. They disclosed that, even with a 1,000 foot water diversion, a completely canalized nine foot waterway can be constructed in the Illinois river at an initial cost of $2,666,000.

Would Require Dam.

Such a waterway, he said, would necessitate the retention of all the state and federal dams and the construction of another dam ten miles above the mouth of the Illinois river. It would also call for the raising of the dams and altering of the locks both in the state improved area between Lockport and Utica and the federal end of the river between Utica and Grafton.

As the bill passed the house no mention was made of the size of the appropriation, but it was contemplated that $1,350,000 would be expended in constructing a channel nine feet deep and 200 feet in width in the Illinois river. Such an amount, the engineers said, would be sufficient to build a waterway with a water diversion of 4,167 cubic second feet of water from Lake Michigan.

Opponents of the waterway in the senate attacked the project, fearing it would authorize a diversion of lake water. As a result, the senate adopted a provision stating that nothing in the act should be construed as authorizing a diversion and authorized a maximum of $3,500,000 for constructing the canal.

Why More Money May Be Needed.

Army engineers, in explaining the necessity for a $3,500,000 authorization, pointed out that while an expenditure of only $1,350,000 would be asked for at first, additional amounts would be needed to maintain the nine foot depth if the diversion was reduced below 4,167 cubic second feet.

They said that although the completely canalized project could be built for an initial outlay of $2,666,000, improvement of the canal by successive steps would increase the final cost. Maj. Gen. Taylor, then chief of engineers, said he believed the total cost under such conditions might reach $3,500,000. On the basis of this report the senate adopted $3,500,000 as the limiting figure.

FOUND DEAD BEHIND SHOP.

The body of William J. Early, 65, a sign painter, was found yesterday in the rear of his shop at 707 East 36th street. Apparently he died of a hemorrhage several days ago.

INDIANA JURORS SPLIT ON SCANDAL INVESTIGATION

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 24.—[Special.] — Seemingly hopelessly deadlocked over the question of returning indictments after its eleven weeks' investigation of sensational charges of wholesale political corruption in Indiana, the county grand jury here late today suddenly decided to terminate its business before Christmas and to report immediately instead of waiting until Monday, as instructed.

Criminal court Judge James Collins, however, refused the report, holding certain phrasing in the jury report to be illegal. The jury then adjourned until Monday.

The grand jury is apparently split, four favoring indictments and two being opposed. Five must vote favorably for an indictment.

One of the men believed to oppose indictments has been indentified with the political machine of George Coffin, who has headed the ku klux klan Republican organization dominating this county for some time.

It became known today that when a deputy of William Remy, county prosecutor, visited the state prison to ask D. C. Stephenson, former klan grand dragon and former Republican boss of Indiana, why he did not aid in the investigation, Stephenson had replied: "I have two men on that grand jury. I am not worried."

STORE PROPRIETOR IS ROBBED.

Benjamin Schnitz, 537 East 47th street, was forced into a rear room of his men's furnishings store by an armed man last night and robbed of $150.

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Store Closed Today—Store Hours Beginning Monday, 8:30 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

Beginning Monday Morning—

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Here are silks in the smart crepe and satin weaves, the season's new colors, in black and white, novel silk weaves, metal brocades, black and colored chiffon velvets. The lengths vary from 1½ to 5 yards, widths from 32 to 54 inches, according to the fabric.

In The Present, Its 70th Occurrence, This Sale Will Establish, We Believe, A High Standard of Value-Giving.

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GOWNS — *French Imports—Adaptations* — $25 to $75—$95 to $150 — *Values to $295*

Exquisite creations for every hour of the day; brilliant scintillating gowns for the gay evening modes; smart enchanting frocks for afternoon and street wear. Rich fabrics designed by skilled artists have made these gowns the most remarkable values of the year!

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December 27th to December 31st Inclusive

GOOD FELLOWS GLADDEN HEARTS OF 11,612 POOR

Army Marches with Yule Cheer for Children.

(Continued from first page.)

is denoted by shrieks of laughter and delight—then these six when the dolls, mechanical toys and candy were handed out. And the broad grins and deep sighs of expectation that broke forth when the fowl, sweet potatoes, cranberries, nuts and fruit were dug out from the basket were of pure joy and worthy of a thousand such baskets.

If you could have seen for yourself, Mr. Good Fellow, what wonders a basket of good food and a lot of toys will do, I am sure you would resolve to be a Good Fellow next Christmas, and many more to come.

CHILDREN IN A RIOT

BY ELEANOR NANGLE

The stairs of the first house on my list of five groaned louder than did my trusty escort, who was panting beneath the weight of the heavy basket we were bringing to the L. family on Dearborn street. There were rare spaces of green calcimine on the walls, but for the most part we saw bare plaster and wooden laths.

A knock on the door at the end of the third flight brought what appeared at first to be dozens of small pickaninnies, all wide eyed and more than a little apprehension. My declaration that I was a Good Fellow, however, changed all that in an instant and then there was bedlam.

Cleophas, six, who was shy a few teeth, but whose smile had lost none of its spontaneity on that account, led the rioters, and Arastell, 11, was a competent lieutenant. He had a drum, two books, a gun, and a doll in his arms before the others had stopped chuckling. Their protests at that bit of fast work roused their mother, a slight, tired woman, who was thrilled, as they were, but didn't forget that she was hostess.

All Offered One Chair.

"We all" were offered the one chair visible in that two-roomed flat and the children were commanded to stop diving at the basket. They didn't, but we couldn't hold that against them and neither could she. They had been told there was to be no Christmas this year—their father does piece work at the yards and Mrs. L. herself has been too sick to work. She was so grateful she "just couldn't 'spress herself." The rioters paid no attention to our conversation, but I loaned a delightful ear to theirs.

Cleophas to James—about a box of raisins—"That's to eat, boy; that ain't no toy!"

James to Melvin—"Look, Cle's baby's eyes jiggied!" A doll is always a "baby" to pickaninnies, I found in my visits to five families, all colored. And a baby is a delight, as are the guns, the tops, the picture books, the games.

But the sight of the clothing, the dinner provisions, from the duck to the bread and butter, and the baby blankets, are what make the "mams" happy and inarticulate.

It was the same in every home. Each child chuckling and snatching good naturedly, each mother grateful that a Good Fellow doubled for Santa Claus this Christmas.

$200 Gift Brings Christmas Cheer to 4 Poor Families

This is a Christmas story for a prince of good fellows, who is spending this happiest of holidays of all the year propped up on pillows on a sick bed.

He is one of the outstanding figures in Chicago's commercial world, is this TRIBUNE Good Fellow, and president of one of the country's largest corporations. But when Christmas time rolls around each year he never forgets to forward his check for $200 to THE TRIBUNE to be expended in providing a happy holiday for four families, with the stipulation that the families be both large and needy.

Altogether, there are twenty-nine children in the four families selected for his beneficence—seventeen boys and twelve girls. Only one of the crowd is more than 14. The youngest is 8 months. Each of the four may be described as poor as poverty.

Children Welcome Visitors.

A steep, dark stairway, on which a tattered, faded carpet serves only to trip unwary feet, leads to the domicile of the N— family, including eight children. Three of the eight answered the knock on the door, with a prolonged "Oeeoh!" at sight of the heavily laden basket a taxi chauffeur was balancing on his shoulders.

Out into the cramped and steaming kitchen, where the harassed mother was bending over wash tubs and children of assorted sizes scampered to and fro, the Yuletide messengers bore their gifts, and the children fell upon them with childish eagerness and delight.

There were dolls and drums, balls and games and bats, beads and books and other things in those baskets, besides warm clothing and hose for each member of the family. And there was a half bushel basket containing all the essentials for the Christmas dinner.

Other Family in Basement.

Mrs. M—, mother of another eight, and her entire brood were gathered in the kitchen of their basement flat, huddled around the range in a room scarcely ten feet square. The plump, blue eyed baby was being dandled on the father's knee to hush its sleepy crying.

When one knows only a score of words in English, it is easier to express delight in the native tongue, and the visitors in this instance were treated to a veritable explosion of Polish words and phrases quite evidently meant to convey delight. The happy smiles and handshakes of Mrs. M—, as the children caught up one gift after another, were a language of their own.

One Visit in Cicero.

And last but not least, was the scene in the box-like little rooms of a cottage in Cicero, where another deserted family of seven Polish children, dependent on the bounty of their old grandmother, went into raptures over the gifts we brought, and the mother called upon the deity to bless us.

Children Shout With Joy.

As we retraced our steps down the long corridor we could hear shouts of, "O, look what's here!" and "Gee, here's a football!' and we were rather glad that we could help a little.

We found our next family trimming an old artificial Christmas tree that one of its more prosperous neighbors had discarded. The little girls were stringing garlands of pink and white popcorn and cutting out bits of brightly colored papers and the boys, God bless them, were washing the dishes for mother. In the basket we left here there were dolls for the girls, games for the boys, and there was a toy gun whose proud recipient cracked it and snapped it in great glee.

There were families we left in tears for the joy that was in their hearts and there were laughing faces and sparkling eyes to be remembered through the year. And it's good to know we have you, Good Fellows, because you are good fellows, and when you hear the buzz of that aeroplane motor you can smile and chuckle with old Santa in his satisfaction, for you've helped, too.

TEARS IN MOTHER'S EYES

BY LUCILLE WOLFE.

If, in the early hours of this Christmas morning, you hear the buzz and satisfied purr of an aeroplane as it floats over your house top, you'll know it's Santa Claus returning to his ice palace, leaving behind him many happy hearts and lots of Christmas cheer. His Good Fellows were on the job early yesterday, and have been these last few weeks, in fact, planning, packing, and delivering baskets of toys, warm clothing, and good things to eat to those less fortunate ones whom Santa wouldn't have time to visit personally. We know how happy they've been made, too, because we helped with the deliveries.

To reach the first family we visited it was necessary to go through a long, narrow court and up dingy, dark stairways, where the widowed mother greeted us with tears streaming down her wrinkled cheeks. The children jumped up and down, clapping their hands, laughing, and chuckling over the gifts

9 SMUGGLERS OF GIFTS TO LOVES DIE IN ALPS GALE

Lone Survivor Succumbs at Shepherd's Hut.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

GENEVA, Dec. 24.—The Christmas tradition of smuggling chocolate bonbons across the Swiss frontier into Italy, with the promise of a kiss from a betrothed Italian lass, cost the lives of nine Alpine mountaineers who were caught in a holiday blizzard atop the windswept peaks of the mountains near the famous St. Bernard monastery.

The monks from the world renowned hospice, with their shaggy dogs, each with a tiny flask of brandy attached to his collar, as well as scores of customs guards and volunteer search parties from nearby villages, are scouring the mountain passes and icy crevices of the region amid the blinding, swirling snow, hoping against hope to find survivors or the bodies of the frozen sweetmeat smugglers.

An Ancient Custom.

The ancient custom among the inhabitants of the mountain hamlets on the Italian side of the Swiss border provides that each year, just before Christmas, a band of young men shall steal across the boundary, under cover of darkness, purchase candy—especially chocolate caramels wrapped in tissue paper on which are written the love messages for the respective sweethearts—and then, with the precious contraband, regain the Italian territory without paying heavy customs duties on the sweets.

A party of nine peasants, headed by Francisco Cerese, whose fiancée promised him a kiss for the caramels, made their way from Allain, over the mountain pass near St. Bernard, to Bourg-Saint-Pierre.

The youths purchased the bonbons, and at nightfall started back toward the Italian side, following a mountain trail, instead of the road, to escape the frontier guards.

But suddenly the treacherous Alpine wind gave a warning whistle, swelling to a hurricane.

Comrades Vanish in Gale.

Following the custom of mountaineers lost in a snowstorm, the men numbered themselves, calling out their numbers in rotation to make sure nobody was lost.

Then, after a time, the men, one by one, failed to respond.

Finally, at daybreak, after a fourteen hour battle with the elements, Innocente Gauzion, 20, the youngest member of the party and a nephew of the leader, Cerese, staggered into a shepherd's hut and collapsed. He later died.

PARALYZED ON JOB; DIES.

Frank Ruchsdans, 34 years old, of Niles Center, suffered a stroke of paralysis yesterday while at work on a building at 1018 Davis street, Evanston. He died a short while later at the St. Francis hospital.

JURORS AWARD $111,851 AGAINST EX-CITY OFFICIAL

Decision Hits at Age Zylstra.

A verdict awarding the Southern Surety company a judgment of $111,851.75 against Age Zylstra, city collector under the mayoralty régime of William Hale Thompson, was returned by a jury yesterday in Judge David M. Brothers' Circuit court. The surety company sued for $125,000, but the jury scaled down the demands.

The suit is the final chapter in a shortage of approximately $101,000 found in the accounts of the city collector's office in 1922 following the discovery that a cashier in the department, who was under only a $15,000 bond, had misappropriated funds belonging to the city.

Surety Company Repays City.

Henry Wulff, the cashier, was indicted as a result of the shortage, but restitution of the city's money was not forthcoming until the surety company, which had signed the bond of Zylstra for $250,000, made it good.

The bond of the then collector indicated, it frequently has been charged, that it had been written by Virtus C. Rohm, nephew of Fred Lundin.

Zylstra Quits the Office.

When Zylstra relinquished his office the surety company was obliged to make good the shortage because he refused to do so and suit was then started for the amount due, $96,840, plus interest, making a total of $125,000.

The jury, however, refused to award the full amount of interest asked by the insurance company and returned the verdict for $111,851.75.

VALENTINO NOTE FOR $15,000 IS FILED BY POLA

Hollywood, Cal., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—When the auction sale of Rudolph Valentino's earthly possessions is concluded here early next week one of the first claims to be paid off by the estate will be a $15,000 note filed by Pola Negri, who went into mourning at the time of the actor's death and announced herself his fiancée.

The claim is a 7 per cent note which Miss Negri's representatives have notified the trustee was a personal loan made to the actor at the time of his last European trip. The note now is nearly a year old. S. George Ullman, who is trustee of the estate and who was Rudy's business manager during the actor's lifetime, will pay it off.

Miss Negri has made no move to buy up any of the cherished personal possessions of the star during the ten days' auction. It is said by her friends, however, that Alberto Guglielmi, brother of Valentino, acted as Miss Negri's representative in bidding for certain articles. The sale has realized about $300,000 so far.

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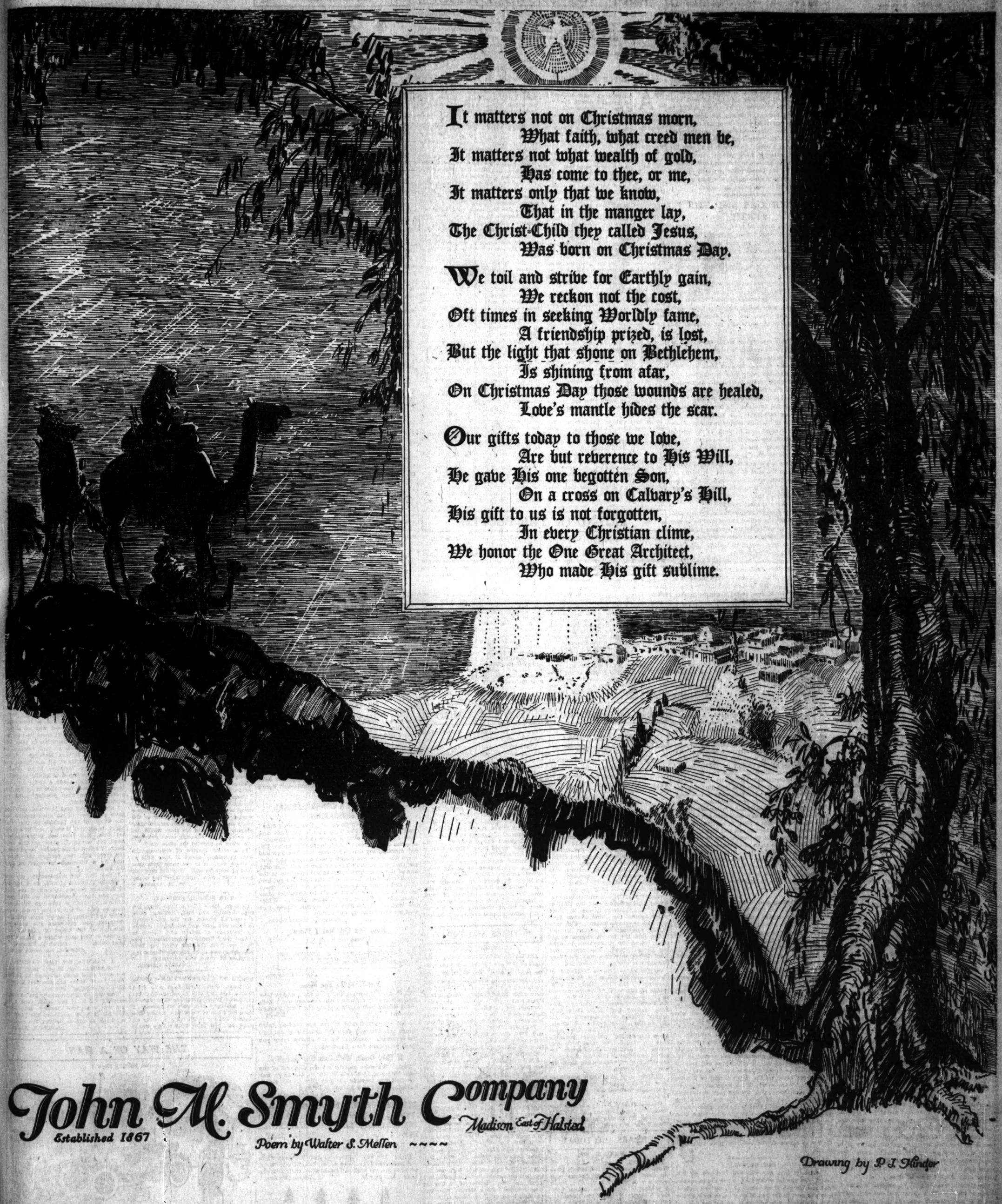

It matters not on Christmas morn,
What faith, what creed men be,
It matters not what wealth of gold,
Has come to thee, or me,
It matters only that we know,
That in the manger lay,
The Christ-Child they called Jesus,
Was born on Christmas Day.

We toil and strive for Earthly gain,
We reckon not the cost,
Oft times in seeking Worldly fame,
A friendship prized, is lost,
But the light that shone on Bethlehem,
Is shining from afar,
On Christmas Day those wounds are healed,
Love's mantle hides the scar.

Our gifts today to those we love,
Are but reverence to His Will,
He gave His one begotten Son,
On a cross on Calvary's Hill,
His gift to us is not forgotten,
In every Christian clime,
We honor the One Great Architect,
Who made His gift sublime.

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"Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong."
—Stephen Decatur.

THE TRIBUNE'S PLATFORM FOR METROPOLITAN CHICAGO

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5. *Build Safe Streets and Highways.*
6. *Re-establish Constitutional Representation.*

DOLLAR CHASERS.

Gilbert K. Chesterton said in a talk to the American club at Oxford: "Of all lies the worst lie is that the American worships money. An American never talks of money in the awe struck tone that an Englishman employs in referring to financial matters." It is only polite to be nice to people when speaking of them and to them at their request and of your own free will. Sometimes it is done otherwise, but that is not amiable.

Possibly Americans half believed once that the dollar chasing description of their national life was true. It was said so often by disagreeable people of other nations that the fiction seemed to be wearing the hat of truth. Some soft boiled Americans whose heads were much softer than even the roughnecks suspected, repeated it because they thought it distinguished them from the American vulgarians. It still has enough vitality to make Chesterton's little talk worth a cablegram.

No American ever chased a dollar with the get out of my way eagerness and indiscriminating stupidity that Europeans chase francs, lira, crowns, and farthings. The nobility sell themselves for money and then mistreat the wives who bring it to them. Distinguished men of letters will come here and submit themselves and their reputations to the miscomforts, physical and mental, of touring the American rural routes, lecturing for the dollar. Europe despises a dollar just as it despises its right eye. It has to be canny, hard, shrewd, acquisitive with long legs for pursuit and strong fingers for grasping. Terms of life generally are hard and the poor man sits out the winter on a bench.

Then how did this legend which particularizes the American as the only real money lover and money grubber in the world arise in lands in which anything can be bought if the price is laid on the counter? Probably because American men have sought adventure in making money. They are not less engrossed in this adventure now than they were when the legend got its start, but it was more their whole experience then than now. They seemed indifferent to other adventures and attractions of life. They were cold to things which Europeans regarded as valuable, if not contemptuous.

They talked politics occasionally, but it was not in the fashion an Oxford bred Englishman could and would. They did not hunt tigers, they did not play games, they loathed music and were dull before pictures, they did not seek leisure or know how to use it. Their eyes did not kindle until the scent of money was struck by the hounds. That was their fox hunt.

The country needed them. They were laying rails in the wilderness, making steel, impounding water, building factories and achieving the miracle which America presents to the world today. If their fortunes could have rolled in from tenant lists, subsidies or other sources which did not require their work the dollar would not have been half so interesting to them.

It offered them what unknown worlds offered the explorers, what conquest offered great captains. It was the world of contest, of imagination, of taking chances, of daring and fortitude. Alexander had nothing on the man who won in this, and anyway Alexander's empire had the life of a moth.

Most Americans plugged along earning their living as most people must, but every now and then one shot out of this plugging and grubbing with an idea and the spirit to back it and presently he was one of the money barons. In fact, that is where they all were born.

Now Americans do not have to chase the dollar so hard as their detractors do. They do not have to squeeze or pare it so much. They spend freely and give freely. They are the softest people in the world for a sentimental touch and if some one does not try to take their coin away from them they think up ways of putting it into a magnificent enterprise or into a rat hole.

Partly because of all this money some of the experiences which Europe regards as cultural are nowhere so available as in the United States. We cannot have all the wealth of art which enriches Europe because the Europeans object morally to a spread of that culture by purchase. It is immoral unless done by conquest, an invitation which may be more seriously considered several hundred years from now.

THE FRIGATE CONSTITUTION.

The frigate Constitution, Old Ironsides, is rotting to pieces in Boston navy yard. The last congress authorized the secretary of the navy to raise the money needed to save the ship by popular subscription, but only half the required sum has been collected. There is little doubt that the other half can be collected eventually, but there is some reason to fear that by the time the money is in hand there will be nothing left to save. The Constitution was laid down in 1797, almost 130 years ago. Few steel ships would still hold together after such a lapse of time.

The Constitution ought to be restored because it is one of the few visible symbols of our early navy and it is incomparably the best that remains. It tells the story of daring design by our naval architects, who fashioned in the Constitution a ship which outsailed anything of her class and at the same time carried a heavier armament. Until the days of steam there was nothing much better than the Constitution in any navy of the world. The old ship tells a story, as well, of skilled seamanship and courageous fighting which never knew defeat. The great exploits of the Constitution from the time she evaded an entire British squadron of five ships which were in full pursuit for sixty-four hours, through her subsequent defeat of one of them, the Guerriere, in a notable duel, and her later triumphs over the Java, the Levant, and the Cyane, gave the nation renewed confidence in its navy and, of course, gave the navy confidence in itself.

When, many years ago, in the interest of economy, it was proposed to scrap the Constitution, Oliver Wendell Holmes wrote his poem of indignant protest. Rather sink her, he said, than permit such an indignity. The nation rallied to save the ship, but again repairs are needed. Unless the money to restore the Constitution is quickly collected the frigate will suffer an indignity greater even than being sent to the junk heap, the indignity of neglect. If the money to save her is not soon collected from private sources congress should not hesitate to make up the deficiency. The saving of the Constitution is worth more to this country than a good many postoffices in crossroads towns and it won't cost any more.

BACHELORS AND THE STATE.

The Inquiring Reporter consulted his authority, the populace, for opinion on Mussolini's bachelor tax. The answer was yes and no. For it and against it. The question proved that Mussolini is the world's best showman. Page one is almost his private preserve. He can hit it with both eyes shut or even in his sleep.

His theory is that the bachelor has not accepted his responsibilities to the state and if he insists on avoiding them he should pay for his neglect. If all the men were chaste bachelors there soon wouldn't be any state, but then they won't be. That's one worry the state can put back on the shelf.

The bachelor is regarded as highly expendable in war, a condition recognized in the war draft. It caused some hurried trips to the marriage license window. He is a valuable military asset who does not have to keep the home fires burning and can afford to seek glory on the battlefield. Authorities who grieve to tear families apart are glad to find the sturdy bachelor and ship him off to the front.

Socially he is not valueless. In certain circles he is regarded as invaluable. A hostess with an emergency list of bachelor telephone numbers has a real peace of mind. All he needs is reasonable grace with a fork, car fare, features not absolutely impossible, and some clothes. He'll be busy filling in. In addition to what is now the best known preference there is also one for bachelors, although probably not on the part of blondes. It would be regarded as a great social misfortune if a government chased all these boys into matrimony or up the street. Married they are without value. Unmarried they have a meal ticket.

The bachelor does not require much of the state. He doesn't affect the school budget and he is not particularly responsible for the increase in the appropriation for prohibition enforcement. If he has a habit in this respect he usually seeks the home life of his married friends.

Occasionally a bachelor is merely the victim of an unrequited affection, explained by some faded photograph. It would be a tragedy to tax his sorrow. The class may be left undisturbed by the state, with the thought of how useful it can be in war.

Editorial of the Day

THERE IS A SANTA CLAUS.

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Is there a Santa Claus? Many small persons who are not quite so small as they were a year ago are beginning now to ask that annual question. Many fathers and mothers are embarrassed thereby. They hesitate between the necessity of rudely breaking the little one's faith, or bringing the whole world of happy dreams and beliefs crashing down to ruins of reality, and the necessity of telling a "story" which they fear will be thrown in their teeth later on by a disappointed child roughly and contemptuously informed by some swaggering little swashbuckler of eight or ten. They are distressed by the thought that their children are no longer little children, but growing into men and women who must face the realities of life, with all its disillusionments and cruelties and hardships. They feel that when Santa Claus is repudiated their children have passed a monumental milestone in life, and that life has thereby lost something which can never be recovered.

There is no need for such embarrassment. There is a Santa Claus. The most truthful father and mother in the world can say it with conviction and prove it. The child can be taught a belief in an understanding of this Santa Claus which no scornful urchin, "wise" beyond his years, can destroy or jeer away.

Santa Claus is the spirit of Christmas—particularly of the children's Christmas. Who shall say that that spirit does not exist? Santa Claus personifies jollity, generosity, and good cheer. That is what the little people, and the grown people, too, for that matter, love and seek to perpetuate. Jollity, generosity, and good cheer are realities; they are Santa Claus—

With his jolly, red face,
And his little round belly,
That shakes when he laughs
Like a bowl full of jelly,

What matter if he ceases, when we are eight years old, to ride in a sleigh drawn by reindeer, coming in through the chimney and stuffing the stockings with toys? He can still ride in a taxicab, on a street car, or go afoot, and come in the door, if we are ready and fit to welcome him.

The most real things in the world cannot be seen. We do not doubt the existence of love, for instance, because we know there is no little, fat flesh and blood baby god going about shooting arrows into our hearts. There is not a child in a happy family anywhere, whether eight or eighteen years old, who doubts love. It exists and the child knows it. There is no more reason to doubt the existence of Santa Claus. We might as well deny the existence of jollity, generosity, and good cheer. It can't be done.

There is a Santa Claus. If the story is told aright to both children and grownups, and proved in the home on Christmas day, it will live on and keep its place in human hearts through life. The red clad, bewhiskered figure on the street corner, or dancing around the Christmas tree, is but a symbol, of course. Children can learn that without any devastating shock to all that childhood holds dear. Children understand symbols. They believe in make-believe. That is easy. It remains only for us to teach them by precept and example that there is a kindly spirit, the real Santa Claus, behind the symbol.

No Santa Claus? Absurd. Santa Claus in this Christmas season is the best, the most real thing in life.

GOB HUMOR.

A shipmate is a guy who will lend you his last nickel, give you his neckerchief so you can go ashore, lend you his car, if any, his likker, his last cigaret, who will even lie for you, if need be, at mast or any such emergency, who will go to the bat for you and fight for you both ashore and on board and will lend you anything but his girl, but who gets sore as hell when you relieve him two minutes late for a watch.—Great Lakes Bulletin.

How to Keep Well, By Dr. W. A. Evans.

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit, or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitation and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make a diagnosis or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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"AN APPLE A DAY—"

"An apple a day will keep the doctor away" is an old legend. Sir George Newman, the head of the British health department, quotes it in his outline for health work in Great Britain. His reference indicates that it is a popular saying in his country. The probability is that it came over in that great carryall, the Mayflower.

Where there is so much smoke there may be fire. A folklore health legend may have some foundation in fact. The following facts support the legend: Apples contain considerable amounts of vitamins. Eaten habitually in winter, they will supply about as much antiscorbutic vitamin as the average, everyday winter diet leaves us in need of.

They are laxative. Most people need a little mild, natural laxative daily, especially in winter. The winter diet is likely to be a little concentrated and leave rather less residue than is required for the best health. There is another rather closely related quality. Apples have considerable bulk. They are filling. In the season when the foods tend to be concentrated a bulky addition to the diet is helpful. Even after the water has been absorbed from the pulp, apple pulp is bulky.

Apples are an alkali producing food. The winter diet rather tends toward acid production. At this season we are disposed to eat freely of meat, eggs, bread and cereals—all acid producing foods. We need to add some apples to the diet to act as a balance for these acid producing foods. Sausage and fried apple is a good combination. Apples are rather high in mineral content.

Custom has established the morning fruit as the opening gun in the breakfast battle. Custom knew what it was up to. The morning fruit is a very good stomach wash. It belongs somewhere in the class with the tooth and mouth wash. And apples and apple juice are just as good for the purpose as oranges and orange juice.

It has been claimed that Sancho Panza said, "God bless the man who invented apple sauce." Old Sancho never said it, but had he done so it would have added to his claim for wisdom.

There is no reason why cider should not be used at the beginning of breakfast just as orange juice is. It serves the same purpose and acts in the same way.

There are times when an overfed person will eat an apple rather than load up with a full supper.

Mr. Average Citizen eats more than is good for him. At night he has some discomforts which his biologic chemist might tell him are due to a slight acidosis from overeating. If he limits his supper to one apple, next morning finds him rejoicing in his wisdom.

MORE ABOUT EATING BEEF.

H. P. writes the following in behalf of meat eaters in extension of what lumbermen in camps eat:

"Extract from R. H. Dana's 'Two Years Before the Mast,' written about 1836, concerning the diet of sailors working on the California coast:

"'The work was as hard as it could be. There was not a moment cessation from Monday morning until Saturday night, when we were generally beaten out and glad to have a full night's rest, a shift and change of clothes, and a quiet Sunday. During all this time we lived upon almost nothing but fresh beef; fried beefsteaks three times a day. At morning and night we had a quart of tea to each man and an allowance of about a pound of hard bread a day; but our chief article of food was the beef. A mess, consisting of six men, had a large wooden kid piled up with beefsteaks, cut thick and fried in fat, with the grease poured over them. Round this we sat attacking it with our jackknives and teeth and with the appetite of young lions; and sent back an empty kid to the galley. This was done three times a day. How many pounds each man ate in a day I will not attempt to compute. A whole bullock [we ate liver and all] lasted us but four days. Such devouring of flesh was, I venture to say, never known before. What one man ate in a day over a hearty man's allowance would make a Russian's heart leap into his mouth. Indeed, during all the time that we were upon the coast our principal food was fresh beef, and every man had perfect health; but this was a time of especial devouring; and what we would have done without meat I cannot tell. Once or twice when our bullocks failed and we were obliged to make a meal upon dry bread and water, it seemed like feeding upon shavings. Light and dry, feeling unsatisfied and at the same time full, we were glad to see four quarters of a bullock just killed swinging from the foretop. Whatever theories may be started by sedentary men, certainly no men could have gone through more hard work and exposure for sixteen months in more perfect health, and without ailings and failings, than our ship's crew.'"

FRIEND OF THE PEOPLE

Letters to this department must be signed with names and addresses of writers.

MORE CLEANING FUNDS NEEDED.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—[Friend of the People.]—I wonder if something could not be done to remove the ashes and garbage from the alley between Dorchester and Kenwood avenues from 63th to 70th street. E. W. W.

Alley was given a thorough cleaning on Nov. 26. Service on ash removal is on an average once in three weeks and garbage service until recently was on an average every fifth day. Service is now being given every two weeks. We hope to give more frequent service after the first of the year, when the funds for 1927 are available.
THOMAS H. BYRNE,
Superintendent of Streets.

ALIEN MUST GO BACK.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—[Friend of the People.]—A young woman came to this country from Canada for a visit of six months. Before this time was up she married a United States citizen here. Will she be able to stay here now or will she have to return to Canada and come back under immigration restrictions? J. H.

It will be necessary for the young lady in question to return to Canada at the expiration of the six months' period for which she was admitted, regardless of whether her marriage takes place prior to that time or not, as marriage of an alien woman to an American citizen subsequent to September, 1922, does not confer citizenship on the woman.

Upon the young lady's return to Canada, either before or after marriage, it will be necessary for her to appear before an American consul, obtain an immigration visa, and apply for admission to the United States for permanent residence before the United States immigration officers, either in Canada or at the port of entry to the United States.
S. D. SMITH,
District Director of Immigration.

FROM THE TRIBUNE'S COLUMNS

65 YEARS AGO TODAY

DECEMBER 25, 1861.

NEW YORK.—The report is current that Mason and Slidell are to be restored to liberty and sent forward to England by the Europa. The sources of the information are French, with some confirmation from those who are supposed to have unusual facilities for information from English connections. The Express prints a rumor that in an interview which Lord Lyons held with Secretary Seward the latter read to him a letter written to American Minister Adams in London, in which Mr. Seward said that if the British government claimed Mason and Slidell upon the ground of illegal capture, contrary to the law of nations, and would consider the surrender as settling the principles for both governments, they would be given up.

WASHINGTON.—A private letter received here indicates that the English people are almost insane in their wrath against the United States. Passion has overcome reason. The tone of the workingmen's organs is very bitter, and the lowest classes of society hound the government to fight the United States. The report that Lord Lyons' interview with Secretary Seward was stormy is unfounded.

CHICAGO. — Charles D. Hamill of Chicago and Miss Susan F. Walbridge, daughter of the Hon. Henry T. Walbridge of Ithaca, N. Y., were married at Ithaca on Dec. 19 by the Rev. David Torrey. Alonzo R. Lord and Miss Julia Godfrey, both of Du Page, Will county, Illinois, were married in this city on Dec. 23 by the Rev. E. Stone.

WILLIAMSPORT, Md.—The rebel force threatening this point probably does not exceed 7,000 men, with four pieces of artillery. Intelligence received yesterday is that the rebel commander has withdrawn his force toward Martinsburg.

CAIRO. — A gentleman just from New Orleans reports that that city is strongly fortified and will be hard to take.

WASHINGTON. — The senate confirmed the appointment of William Pinckney of Illinois as governor of Washington territory.

25 YEARS AGO TODAY

DECEMBER 25, 1901.

DUBUQUE, Ia.—Mrs. Leslie M. Shaw will decide whether Iowa's present chief executive will be the next secretary of the treasury, Gov. Shaw is willing to accept the cabinet position offered by President Roosevelt, but refuses to state so publicly until he can consult his wife. When she makes her decision, the formal announcement of the pending change will be forthcoming. Gov. Shaw arrived here this morning and for several hours was in conference with Senator Allison and Speaker Henderson.

CHICAGO. — People who go to church this morning will encounter either snow or rain, if the forecast is correct. Heavy wraps will not be so essential as they were a week ago. But rubbers will be the prevailing style of footgear.

CHICAGO.—If the canals of Venice were channels filled with mud of a consistency capable of sustaining a few crawling cable cars as well as its heralded gondoliers; if its skies were muggy and gray instead of blue—the tens of thousands of Chicagoans who thronged the downtown streets yesterday would have known what it is to have lived in Venice. All Chicago lacked was the gondoliers. They were a crying need at nearly every street corner. Each block of high buildings in downtown Chicago was surrounded and divided from its neighbors by seas and channels of mud. A handful of men directed by the bureau of street cleaning plied brooms lazily against these canals of mud and water.

10 YEARS AGO TODAY

DECEMBER, 25, 1916.

CHICAGO.—The Good Fellows of the class of 1916 are hereby decorated with the order of worth and merit, awarded the certificate of Good Fellowship and permitted the use of the "G. F." degree after their names. They spread Christmas joy untold yesterday through the cheerless homes of thousands and returned to their own homes last night uplifted by the joy of giving.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—"Christmas day, 1916, dawns upon a world racked with more human suffering than has been witnessed at any other time in the Christian era," a prominent Red Cross official remarked. "Fourteen nations are engaged in the greatest war in history, a struggle that has cost to date several million human lives and $30,000,000,000. The suffering of the widowed, the orphaned, the homeless, and the starving in many of the war stricken countries is indescribable."

CHICAGO.—Old Bob Fitzsimmons fought a good many snappy scraps in his day, but it remained for Mrs. Bob to crown the glory of the family name by a bout she staged yesterday. She knocked out Satan in a talk in the Olive Branch mission, 24 South Des Plaines street. Mrs. Fitzsimmons came to Chicago several days ago for the first time since, in Los Angeles, last April, she was "converted to the old time religion" by a woman who had presented her with a Bible after she had attempted to commit suicide by jumping from a hospital window. Since her conversion she has devoted most of her time to reforming women from the notorious "Barbary Coast," for whom she established a home.

A LINE O' TYPE OR TWO

How to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

Two Christmases.

Green paper holly
And green paper bills—
Stillness of starlight
And hush of white hills—

Hustle and hurry
To left and to right—
Wise men and shepherd lads
Praying all night—

Gifts of electric trains,
Dolls dressed in fur—
Warm breath of ox and ass,
Incense and myrrh—

Crowded shops, crushing streets.
What do men seek?
There's a Child, watching,
With tears on His cheek.

BOY BLUE.

CHRISTMAS GIFT! Let's love everybody today. When you go down the street say "Christmas Gift" to everybody you meet. Or Merry Christmas, just as you like. And smile, smile, smile when you say it. Let everything cheap and mean and ugly go hang today. It's Christmas, let's make it so. Who cares for croakers and pessimists today? Smile Merry Christmas at 'em and make 'em cheer up. Christmas Gif' (that's the way they say it down south), Christmas Gif'!

Oh, You Mean in the Museums.

Dick: At that I think this gang warfare stuff has been grossly exaggerated. The truth is that there are some people in Chicago who have never been even shot at! H. M. J.

PLEASE DO NOT LOOK AT PAGE 8, PICTURE SECTION, TOMORROW.

R. H. L.: Suppress the picture section of The Trib for tomorrow, Dec. 26! The bulldog edition has just got to our town and my news dealer let me have a peek. Oh, that eighth page of the picture section! I saw it, I saw it! It is too terrible! Why not let the dead past bury its dead? Oh, I beg of you ask everybody not to look at page 8. I beg you on bended knees—as your friend—I beg you! LADY SNEERWELL.

Bill Didn't Do It—We Did.

R. H. L.: Now that Bill Hay was forced to shoot Herblock to protect the million listening in and who daily read the Line, will he get life, justifiable homicide, or a Carnegie medal? SCOTLAND YARD.

QUICK, NOW! The stickers on 'em say, "Do Not Open Until Christmas"; all right, open 'em up, pull them out, yank 'em out, lift 'em out, pour 'em out. It's Christmas day in the morning. Forward now, crash that door where they've been hiding all this time. Over the top, my lads, and mop 'em up.

MY TEACHER AND THE CHALK.

RHL: My teacher is an absent-minded man. He can't keep track of the chalk. One day he said, has any one seen the chalk? No; no one had seen the chalk, so my teacher took a little key from his pocket, unlocked the drawer of his desk and selected a nice long piece of chalk. The next day he said, has any one seen the chalk? And, once more, no one had seen the chalk, so my teacher looked here and there, and then put his hand in his pocket and found the chalk. The next day my teacher said, has any one seen the chalk? . . . But no one had seen the chalk. . . . Well, then, has any one seen the little key to the drawer where I keep the chalk? . . . Maybe it's in yer pocket, a little boy said. So my teacher went through all his pockets very carefully. The key was not there. . . . Well, maybe it had fallen into the waste basket? . . . Are ya sure, said a little girl, that the key ain't in yer pocket? Why, of course, I'm sure, said my teacher—there's nothing in my pocket but a couple of pieces of chalk. ORACLE.

Oh, They're Wonderful!

RHL: Maybe I am just an almost-blonde and live here in Gary, but I did have the most staggering time with a big Bottle-and-Keg Man from Cicero last night. BONITA.

GOOD LUCK and God bless you, buddy. This is our fervent wish to every one of you forty thousand veterans of the great war now in hospital. And everybody who sent you Linebooks send their happiest Christmas greetings, too. May you soon be well and back in the world again—and here's your country's love to you.

LET THERE BE A CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION.

R. H. L.: You sly little devil! You knew I didn't read anything in The Trib except the Line and then you go slip over a story called "Clarence" in some other section. And, to make it worse, Friday morning my eye sliced over into Vox Pop and there was some one roasting you about it and hinting that you couldn't have written it and that only one of the three greatest satirical novelists in the world could have produced it, but that you got hold of it and slipped your name under it. Three greatest novelists—my guess would be Somerset Maughan, Aldous Huxley, and Thomas Hardy. Which one was it? Make The Trib reprint Clarence so that we can make up our minds. SAMSON CALLED PETER.

Honi Soit Qui Mal Y Pense.

[From the W. G. N.]

TROUSERS—LOST—PAIR, STRIPED, IN taxi Monday; no questions asked; rew. $10. Call Dearborn 3024.

GOLD COASTER.

Just What Do You Mean?

R. H. L.: 10,000 Legionnaires are going to take their wives to Paris with them next summer! Talk about taking ham sandwiches to the Lord Mayor's banquet! KOPIE.

VOX POPPERS and others are reading more things into Clarence than the critics ever did into Shakespeare. Clarence, we are almost sorry you spent your dime for a Linebook.

If They Don't, We'll Run One Ourself.

Dick: We were glad to see the pictures of the Line Niters in Sunday's W. G. N., but there was one that was missing. It was Dinny. Oh, please have the roto run a picture of Dinny! ETTA KRAWITZ.

THERE SEEMED NO OTHER WAY.

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FOR GOD SAKE DICK DID YOU REALLY KILL HIM
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Even So.

Dick: It's easy enough to look pleasant when you make the Line twice a day, but the one worth while is the one who can smile when their contribs have gone astray. HENRY PENNY.

MERRY CHRISTMAS, Gentle Reader—to you and yours. Merry Christmas, faithful contribs, and as Tiny Tim said, "God bless us every one."
R. H. L.

YELLOW GOING RED

[Yorkshire Evening News.]

"It is not surprising that in the strongly nationalist Cantonese movement Russian communist propaganda should add fuel to the flame, not in the least because it is Marxian in its doctrine but because it is anti-foreign."—Daily Chronicle.

John Bull: "It's all right, Wun Hi; I can see your pushing friend!"

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Writers should confine themselves to 200 or 300 words. Give full name and addresses. No manuscripts can be returned. Address Voice of the People, The Tribune.

THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—There is no time in the year that stirs the heart and awakens such real joy as this season does. The thought of it is carried through each year until it has been reached again. The thoughtfulness and kindness and love can never be forgotten.

A glance at the calendar when Christmas is less than two weeks off usually results in a spontaneous action. Now and then a bit of savings is spent and something is bought to help brighten some one's Christmas. This is the work of the Christmas spirit. Certainly any one who has ever had this feeling cannot let the day pass without making some one happy.

But the Christmas spirit has a still deeper meaning. Have you ever wondered what kind of a spirit Joseph and Mary had as they journeyed to Bethlehem? Have you wondered what it was that caused the wise men to carry gifts to the Babe? Do you share the feeling that caused shepherds to leave their flocks to seek as they did? The action of these came directly from a deep feeling of thankfulness and assurance.

We ought to be glad to take our turn in the scene of the birth of Christ. Our duty is to continue the spirit of thankfulness and assurance of the original Christmas. We ought first to be thankful ourselves and renew our belief in the trueness of this gospel. The Christmas spirit then leads us to make others feel as we feel and as many should be helped as possibly can be reached. The rich need a token and a taste of the free spirit just as dearly as the poor or middle class. Those who are your enemies need to share your feeling of joy. Therefore the message of the Christmas spirit is "Hold back nothing from any individual because of creed, color, condition, or animosity." EDWARD L. BOOKER.

THE CHRISTMAS OPERA.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—I consider the casting of "The Jewess" as the opera for Christmas day a direct insult to the Christians of Chicago. A CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN.

TOO MANY LAWS.

Collins, N. Y., Dec. 18.—"Too many laws!" shouts the demagogue; and thinks he has advanced an argument against prohibition. Doubtless there are too many laws; but that does not condemn the laws against forgery, or burglary, or assault, or murder, or the liquor traffic. As population increases and our civilization becomes more complex, more laws are needed. An uninhabited land needs no statutes. When a few settlers arrive, a few laws are needed to define rights and privileges. When populous cities are built, many laws become necessary. In the days of ox-cart transportation, traffic laws were hardly needed; but every new method of transportation has necessitated new legislation.

There are too many divorce laws. Would it not be better to have one national law covering the matter? And one system of traffic laws applying to the whole nation, so that a man scrupulously obeying the laws of his state would not be arrested for violating some unknown law when he crossed the state line?

In a recent session of congress the wets introduced about 57 bear bills in a single day. It is not their fault that none of them passed. Why did they not heed their own warning—"Too many laws!"? H. H. CULVER.

THE SCHOOL INQUIRY.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—I hope that Dr. Otto Schmidt and Mrs. Hefferan have a sense of humor, for the questioning of these two good and substantial people by the team of Briske and Nelson is indeed the "Comédie Americaine." Deliver me from the day when my four youngsters are to be educated under the auspices of these two gentlemen. CHARLES JENSEN.

LOANS ON COMPENSATION PAPER.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—I have also tried to find a bank which would consider the insurance bonus certificate after Jan. 1, 1927, but have met with no success. I have been out of work now nearly two months and my resources are nearly all gone, but had faith that things would not be so bad after Jan. 1, 1927, when the loan I would be able to secure would help until work could be found. C. B.

ALD. NELSON ON THE McWANE CASE.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—I appeared before the pardon and parols board in behalf of the condemned Thomas McWane not to argue the theory of capital punishment, nor to present any plea based on sentiment or any justification for the crime of murder. I was there at the request of the Swedish National society. McWane's mother is of Swedish extraction—and at the request of the Federation of Post Office Clerks—his stepfather is, and has been, a postal employé for the last fourteen years—to present the request that the pardon board look over the record in McWane's case and all of the circumstances surrounding his conviction. I pleaded with them, the record will so show, that they also interview the condemned boy twenty years of age, and use their own good judgment, stating that I was certain that they would agree that there was no justification for the sentence of death in McWane's case.

I recognize that the purport of your editorial is to direct thought to the end that the law should not be set aside because of any sentiment for a murderer; on the contrary, that thought should rather be given to the prevention of such crimes, and sympathy should run to the victim's bereaved. I must frankly say, however, that in my opinion you selected the wrong case and instance to emphasize and develop that thought. McWane killed nobody; he was never armed; there is not a spot in his brief record of twenty years' existence that indicates a criminal tendency of any kind.

The facts are that young McWane, homeless because of the separation of his parents in early childhood, penniless, and without employment, came to Chicago last July and landed in the lodging house district. He met Gricius alias Cesaitis, was induced to accompany him on the fatal night for a taxicab ride. He was unarmed, and before he realized the situation, Gricius had killed three persons within a few moments' time. McWane was powerless to prevent the commission of these murders, and like the taxicab driver, had McWane made the slightest move of resistance, he would have been killed. The facts are that he was seriously injured when Gricius was making his getaway. The record shows that he assisted the police in finding Gricius.

To be guilty of murder in the first degree and merit the death penalty there must be proven beyond a reasonable doubt that the accused was of a malignant heart, and that there was an intent and some deliberation to take human life. There is no such evidence in the case of Thomas McWane. Stripping the situation of all sentiment, the facts are that McWane killed nobody and had no intention of killing anybody, was not armed, made a clean cut confession, assisted the police in finding the murderer, and then pleaded guilty on advice of counsel.

I am informed that McWane, suffering from an injury to his spine incurred in the wreck of the taxicab on the fatal night, is a physical shell, and in a mental daze, and does not fully comprehend his situation, even at this late hour. I asked of the pardon board nothing except that they perform their function by a thorough investigation into the facts.

I feel that the management of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE should, as a matter of ordinary justice, in view of the fact that you have commented on this case editorially, make a thorough investigation, so that no one in the future could carry the feeling that by such editorial comment you prevented the unbiased function of the board of pardons and paroles in this case where a human life is at stake. OSCAR F. NELSON,
Alderman, Forty-sixth ward.

A FARMER ON THE TARIFF.

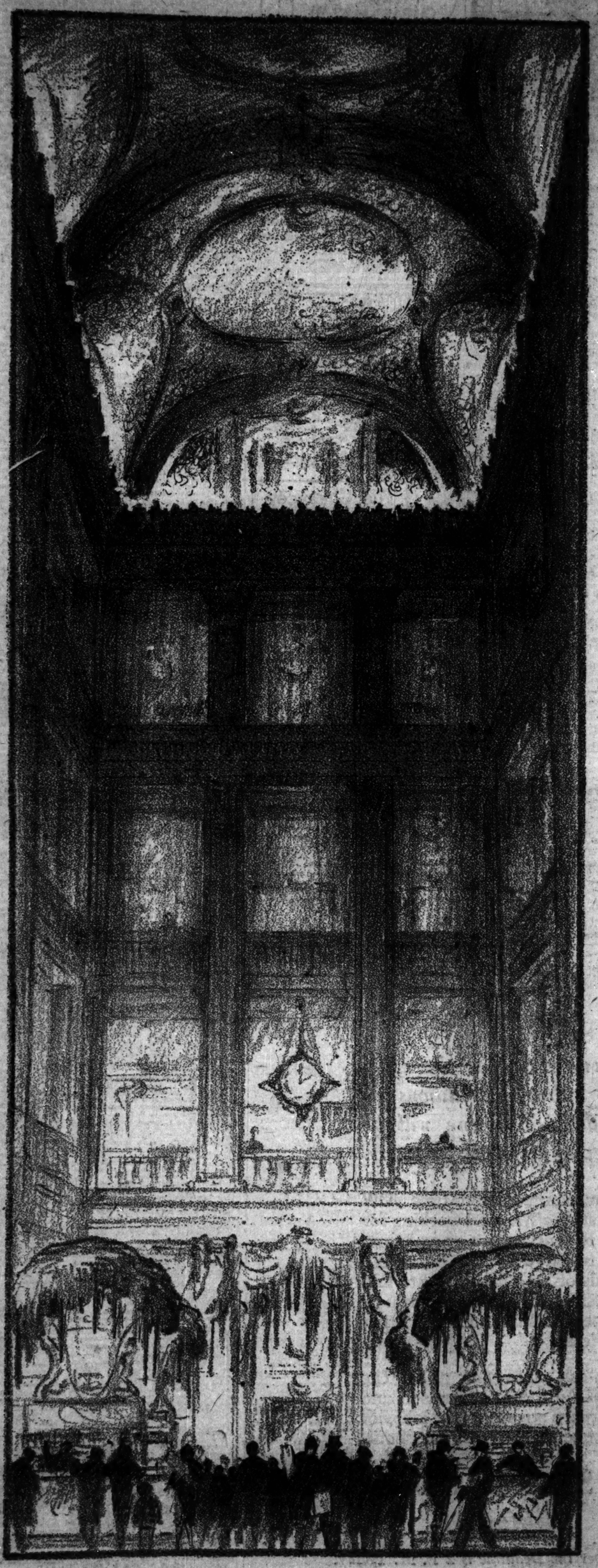
Flint, Mich., Dec. 20.—My farm has 40 acres of good land, assessed at $4,100. Four years' taxes are due and unpaid, also six months' interest.

How did the steel company get so much money? If it is the tariff, then I do not see where the farmer gets any benefit. I have concluded the tariff is all bunk so far as helping the farmer. CHARLES R. ADAMS.

THE WAY OF A MAN

[London Passing Show.]

Young Wife: "Jack, I think it's frightfully mean of you to give me a car for a Christmas present and then keep it all for yourself."



Cathedral of all the Stores

Untrammeled and fair like a thing of dreams,
Its granite walls uprise;
Four square to the world, symmetrical, true,
It tow'rs 'neath bending skies.
To the north and south, to the east and west,
Swing gates to wondrous floors
Builded for service, aye, proudly it stands,
Cathedral of all the stores.

And radiant stretch the passes within,
Like fairied aisles they run
'Mid postured columns, uplifted and white
As snood of cloistered nun.
Ever and ever press myriad feet,
Expectant thru the doors
Builded for service, securely it stands,
Cathedral of all the stores.

And here ingathered from places anear,
And lands beyond the sea,
Are wonderful wares for uses of men,
Rare works in artistry.
And so shall it stand with fame unmatched
Here, or on distant shores,
Builded for service—the marvel of men—
Cathedral of all the stores.

Written by Irvin Clay Lambert (retired) for thirty-three years a member of the merchandise organization of

MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY

Radio Casts a Halo Around Christmas Eve

Elmer Hears Many High Class Programs.

BY ELMER DOUGLASS.

Christmas eve, with radio in a halo of resplendent glory.

No Christmas could have had a more fitting or more effective heralding than that afforded by the St. James Episcopal church Christmas eve carol service, with its sermon, and choir, soloist, harp, piano, and organ through W-G-N at 5 o'clock.

Nor could any musical program been more fitting or attractive than that by the Ebenezer Lutheran church choir and Edgewater Beach hotel orchestra, WEBH, 7 to 8.

And while we're at it, what's a Friday night any more without the Rev. Richard B. Hughes' travelogues, WBCN, 7 to 8? The Mediterranean, and Naples, Pompeii, Genoa, and other historical cities and colorful scenes last evening.

Now, with a fitting setting established, I can trace back to Announcer Bill Hay of W-G-N and, with you, recall his rich, dignified ministerial voice and manner in his descriptive work during the 5 o'clock St. James church service broadcast; his rôle of the interpretive prose reader as he gave us Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" from 7:30 to 8:30; as an interpreter of poetry in Moore's "A Visit from St. Nicholas," at 10 o'clock; and finally in one of the great achievements of its kind in all radio, his almost daily readings from the Old Testament, at 10:15 last night, to say nothing of the noble distinction that he adds to every program he announces. Such, in brief, is Announcer Bill Hay, and may Santa and good fortune not forget him!

A subsequent musical production of Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," and this was, indeed, a most impressive one, was by Anthony Wons, reader, and the Little Symphony of Chicago, George Dasch conducting, WLS, 8 to 9:10.

It was pleasing to hear for the first time this season the voice of Mrs. Marx E. Oberndorfer in a historical exposition of many of our Christmas carols, followed with their playing by Mr. Oberndorfer on the piano.

The musical program by the concert orchestra, WENR, 8 to 10, was excellent. But the announcer made a terrrible blunder when he stated that no request numbers were given at this station, then turned right around and gave out a request number.

The singing of Christmas carols in the lobby of the Drake hotel by the Trinity Episcopal church choir proved to be an interesting feature broadcast.

Last, but nowhere near least, the Christmas program by the J. Lewis Browne ensemble of singers and instrumentalists, KYW, 10:30. Everything Dr. Browne and his musical organization touches is music of the best.

Now, with reformed Scrooge, "A Merry Christmas to the World."

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Good Ol' Santa Claus

HUSBAND FINDS WIFE STRANGLED; VISITOR HUNTED

Council Bluffs, Ia., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—With her husband's shirt twisted around her throat and knotted, Mrs. Almira Berard, 40, wife of John Berard, a railroad ticket agent, was found dead in the basement of her home here last night. The body was wedged in between the furnace and a wall. Police are searching for a mysterious "Mr. Williams," who was seen at the house yesterday afternoon.

The body was discovered by the husband when he returned home last night. There were signs of a struggle in the basement and the furnace was dented in. The body was so wedged against the wall that the knees were against the face and was covered with a number of old rags. The face and head were badly beaten, but death was due to strangulation.

The last person to see Mrs. Berard alive was R. W. Moore, a railroad engineer, who boarded at the Berard home. Moore told authorities that as he left for work, Mrs. Berard was sitting in the parlor talking to a man who was introduced to him as Mr. Williams.

CALLES GREETS RUSSIAN WOMAN ENVOY TO MEXICO

Mexico City, Dec. 24.—(AP)—For the first time in the history of the western hemisphere, a woman presented to the chief executive of a country her credentials as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary when President Calles received Mme. Kollantay, Russia's new envoy to Mexico, today.

After the formalities of the official presentation, the president and Mme. Kollantay chatted for 15 minutes. Leon Hayklss, first secretary of the Russian legation, who accompanied the new diplomatic representative, described the conversation as without political significance, consisting of exchanges of courteous observations.

Clabaugh Stops Paroled Convicts Visiting Prisons

Hinton G. Clabaugh, chairman of the state board of pardons and paroles, yesterday notified all agents that no paroled prisoner was to be allowed to visit convicts in penal institutions. Any paroled men attempting to do so will be construed as having violated parole and taken into custody. The wardens are asked to enforce the order.

He Sleeps as His Stove Ignites Bed; He May Die

Joseph Dudesk, 55, who lived alone at 704 East 112th street, was taken to the Pullman hospital yesterday morning so severely burned he may die. Dudesk lived in one room. His bed, too close to a stove, caught fire while he slept.

CRIPPLED PLANE HALTS U. S. ARMY HOP AT TAMPICO

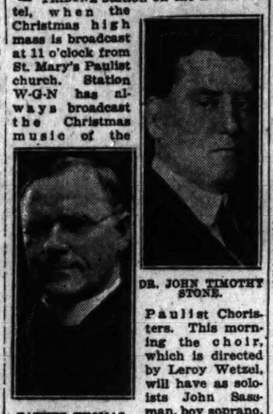
Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—(AP)—The army's Pan-American flight will be halted temporarily at Tampico, Mexico, because the airplane St. Louis burned out its motor yesterday and must await a replacement from Duncan field, San Antonio, Tex.

A message to the war department from Maj. H. A. Dargue, commanding the flight, said that while the San Francisco had proceeded to Vera Cruz, the other ships would remain at Tampico until the St. Louis was ready to proceed.

RADIO PROGRAMS FOR TODAY

(Saturday, Dec. 25.) (Standard Time.)

THE beloved Paulist Choristers of Chicago will be heard this morning from W-G-N, THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE station on the Drake hotel, when the Christmas high mass is broadcast at 11 o'clock from St. Mary's Paulist church. Station W-G-N has always broadcast the Christmas music of the



FATHER THOMAS LEVAN. [Bloom Photo.]

DR. JOHN TIMOTHY STONE.

Paulist Choristers. This morning the choir, which is directed by Leroy Wetzel, will have as soloists John Sassman, boy soprano, and Charles Cooley, basso. The sixty-five voices, singing in the sactuary of the church, will offer the "Gloria," from Gounod's St. Cecelia Mass, and a new "Kyrie" and new "Credo" composed by Mr. Wetzel. The mass will be on the air until 12:40, and will include the Christmas sermon by the Rev. Walter J. Orchard, C. S. P., pastor of St. Mary's church.

Another religious high spot of the day's W-G-N program will be the production, "The Route of the Wise Men," an adapted reading by Quin Ryan, with music arranged by Henry Selinger. This will be presented between 3 and 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, with musical accompaniment by the studio instrumental ensemble.

Uncle Walt will cut up for the children this evening in his Punch and Judy show between 6:10 and 6:40.

At 5:30 p. m., talks conveying a Christmas message will be given by Father Thomas F. Levan, president of De Paul university, and Dr. John Timothy Stone of the Fourth Presbyterian church.

Luncheon concerts will be presented by the Drake concert ensemble and the Blackstone string quintet between 12:45 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., and between 6:40 and 8 p. m.

Between 8 and 9 o'clock there will be broadcast a special concert of the New York Symphony orchestra, under Walter Damrosch. The special Christmas presentation, arranged by Mr. Damrosch, follows:

Pastorale from "Messiah".....Handel
Spanish Rhapsody .....Chabrier
Finale of for strings from Symphony No. 4 .....Tschaikowsky
In the Spinning Room .....Dvorak
Moment Musicale .....Schubert
"The Beautiful Blue Danube".....Strauss

At 9 o'clock, during the Saturday night hour devoted to "Great Moments from Grand Opera," the W-G-N vocal group will present "Tannhauser." The vocal group is composed of Fanny Cole Sample, soprano; Kathleen Ryan, contralto; Gilbert Ford and Frederick Wood, tenors; Bryce Talbot, baritone, and Mark Love, bass. The instrumental parts will be played by W-G-N's studio ensemble, Henry Selinger conducting.

DETAILS OF TODAY'S W-G-N PROGRAM.
[Wave length 303 meters.]
MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT.
11 to 12:40 a. m.—Paulist Choristers of Chicago singing high mass from St. Mary's Paulist church.
12:40 a. m. to 1:30 p. m.—Luncheon concert by Drake concert ensemble and Blackstone string quintet.
1:30 to 3 p. m.—New York program.
3 to 3:30 p. m.—"The Route of the Wise Men."
3:30 to 5 p. m.—New York musical program.
5 to 5:30 p. m.—The Salernos.
5:30 to 5:45 p. m.—Christmas talks by Father Thomas F. Levan, president of De Paul university, and Dr. John Timothy Stone of the Fourth Presbyterian church.
6 to 6:10 p. m.—The old fashioned almanack.
6:10 to 6:40 p. m.—Uncle Walt's Punch and Judy.
6:40 to 8 p. m.—Dinner concert by Drake concert ensemble and Blackstone string quintet.
8 to 9 p. m.—Walter Damrosch and the New York Symphony orchestra.
9 to 10 p. m.—W-G-N vocal group in "Tannhauser."
10 to 10:10 p. m.—The music box.
10:10 to 10:30 p. m.—Vincent Lopez and his Casa Lopez orchestra.

LOCAL PROGRAMS

5 p. m. to 7 a. m.—WQJ [448]. Special Christmas morning broadcast.
10—WHT [400]. Juvenile program. 12—Organ.
12—WLS [345]. Christmas music.
2—WENR [266]. Studio program.
2—WIBO [226]. Special Christmas music.
3—WBCN [286]. Studio program; music.
3—WQJ [448]. Christmas carol program.
3—WRRM [256]. Musical program.
4—WMAQ [448]. Christmas program. 5:15—Topsy turvy time.
5—WEDC [250]. Studio program.
5—WEMC [252]. Studio program; music.
6—WOK [238]. Concert. 8—[217]. Organ. 9:30—[238]. Studio program.
6—WBWS [275]. Orchestra; organ recital.
6—Yuletide melodies.
6—WCFL [491]. Federation of Labor hour. 6:30—Music.
6—WMAQ [448]. Organ; orchestra. 8—Orchestra. 8:30—Theater revue.
6—WIBO [226]. Concert.
6—WENR [266]. Organ recital; vocal.
6—WLS [345]. Special Christmas program.
6—WMT [496]. Studio program; music.
7—WMBB [250]. Special Christmas program. 8:30—Popular program.
7—WBCN [286]. Organ recital.
7—WFAB [317]. Classical music. 9—Popular program.
7—WQJ [448]. Disabled veterans' program, sponsored by North Shore Post, A. L.
8—WRRM [256]. "A Log Cabin Christmas," quartet. 9—Popular program.
8—WENR [266]. Trio; vocal. 9—Popular program.
9—WCFL [491]. Orchestra. 11—Entertainers.
9:30—WHT [400]. Studio program; music. 11—Your hour league.
10—WCBN [256]. Popular program.
10—WQJ [448]. Popular program; dance music; vocal.
10—WBWS [275]. Christmas music. 12—Witching hour.
10—WHFC [258]. Classical music. 10—Popular program.
11—WEDC [250]. Popular program.
12—WENR [266]. Midnight frolic.

OUTSIDE CHICAGO

7—KMOX [280], St. Louis. Red schoolhouse.
7—KLDS [441], Independence. Christmas carols.
7—WGHP [270], Detroit. Christmas program.
7—WORD [278], Batavia. Concert.
7:10—WBZ [333], Springfield. Boston Symphony; also WJZ, WRC, WGY.
7:45—WCCO [416], St. Paul-Minneapolis. Fireside philosophies.
8—KMOX [280], St. Louis. String quartet; accordion.
8—WEAF [491], New York. Musical program; also WGY, WTAM, WCCO, WDAF, WOC.
8—WHAS [400], Louisville. Concert.
9—WFI [394], Philadelphia. Male quartet.
9—WHK [273], Cleveland. Christmas program.
9—WOAW [526], Omaha. De luxe program.
9—WKBG [285], Lansing. Popular program.
9:30—WCCO [416], St. Paul-Minneapolis. Program.
10—WIL [273], St. Louis. Vaudeville.
10:30—KYW [375], Hot Springs. Dance frolic.
11—KFNF [461], Shenandoah. Music.
11:45—WDAF [366], Kansas City. Frolic.

R. ROSENBERG, CANAL TRUSTEE'S FATHER, IS DEAD

Reuben Rosenberg, father of Michael Rosenberg, a sanitary district trustee, died at his home, 1256 Independence boulevard, early yesterday morning after a long illness. He was 64 years old.

Mr. Rosenberg was active in Jewish charities and educational affairs. He is survived by a widow, three sons, and three daughters. Besides Michael the sons are Moe and Edward Rosenberg. Mrs. Mitchell C. Robin, Mrs. J. K. Harris, and Mrs. Martin Edelstein are the daughters.

Funeral services will be held from the home at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. Burial will be in Waldheim cemetery.

Seize Pair for Powder Sale Before a Fire

Gunpowder shipments were traced yesterday to the store owned by Tony Tartazore, 503 West Oak street. He and his nephew, Peter Tartazore, 21, were arrested. Sergtl Roy Steffens of the fire attorney's office said a fire of incendiary origin had damaged the wholesale grocery of Pipia & Brutto, 1138 West Randolph street, and one hundred pounds of gunpowder had been put in the building, but had not exploded. The powder came from Tartazore's store, Sergt. Steffen said.

Senator J. W. Wadsworth's Father Dies of Pneumonia

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—(AP)—James Wolcott Wadsworth, 80, father of the New York senator, died here today of pneumonia.

Reynolds, Police Veteran, Dies Suddenly Christmas Eve

P. J. Reynolds, 71, for many years a policeman stationed in the Criminal court building, died of heart disease yesterday at his home, 7009 South Green street. He is survived by a widow, a son, Thomas P. Reynolds, and a brother, the Rev. Frank L. Reynolds, pastor of St. Finnbar's church. Funeral arrangements are to be made later.

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In Memoriam.

BUTLER—George William Butler. Sacred to the memory of my dearly loved husband, who passed on five months ago today, July 25, 1926. A. F. & A. M., St. Cecelia lodge 643. Oriental Consistory and Medinah Shrine; I. A. T. S., No. 2. To live in the hearts of those we love is not to die.
HIS WIFE, LOUISE.

CANNON—Frances Camille Cannon, nee Minis, beloved wife of Ralph L. Cannon, 112 S. Catherine-ct., La Grange; fond mother of Donald, Sam, Roy, and Jean Cannon; sister of Augusta Minnis Schlueter. She was as good as she was fair, None, none on earth above her; As pure in thought as angels were. To know her was to love her.
SISTER.

HERBERT—Anna Herbert. In sweet memory of our darling, who passed away eight years ago today.
MOTHER, FATHER, SISTERS AND BROTHER.

HIRSCH—Joseph Hirsch. In memory of a loving husband and father, a beautiful character. Because of the many deeds of unselfish devotion, those who knew him are nobler in spirit. His memory continues to live in majestic influence. Passed away Christmas morning, 1925.
Sadly missed by his dear
WIFE AND CHILDREN.

MINNIS—John Dalley and Veronica Pickett Minnis. In loving memory of my dad and mother. Sadly missed. Daughter,
AUGUSTA MINNIS SCHLUETER.

NAGEL—Bertha O. Nagel. In fond memory of our dear mother, who passed away 3 years ago today.
"In our hearts your memory lingers—
Sweetly, tender, fond, and true.
There is not a day, dear mother,
That we do not think of you."
LOVING CHILDREN.

SCHUTT—Mary and Louis Schutt. In loving remembrance of my dear parents, Mary and Louis Schutt.
LOVING DAUGHTER, EMMA KELLY.

WINGARD—Marie Wingard. In loving memory of our beloved mother, who entered into her eternal rest last Christmas day.
MARION WOLD, ROBERT WINGARD, EVELYN LIES.

Fraternal Notices.

CLEVELAND LODGE, 211, A. F. AND A. M. James Bell, 4028 Potomac-av., passed away Thursday, Dec. 23, 1926. Funeral service from lodge hall, Monday, Dec. 27 at 1:15 p. m. Members please attend.
EMIL G. BJURSTROM, Master.
FRED HEUBERGER, Secretary.

ABELE—Minnie Abele, nee Noss, dearly beloved wife of the late August, fond mother of Fred W. and Elsie Ludwig, entered into rest Dec. 23. Funeral Monday, 2:30 p. m., from residence, 6709 Greenview-av. Interment Rosehill.

ALBRIGHT—C. Julius Albright, 476 Park-av., Glencoe, Ill., Dec. 23, 1926, age 57 years. Beloved husband of Emma, nee Bremer, fond father of Emily, Mabel, Pearl Lorraine, and F. Braymer. Funeral 2 p. m., Sunday, Dec. 26, 1926, from late residence. Interment Memorial Park cemetery.

ANDERSON—Esther Elizabeth Anderson, daughter of Emma and the late John A., sister of the late A. F. Gustos, Mrs. S. A. Johnson, Mrs. W. P. McMilligott, Carl T., Mrs. R. Jenkins, and Florence Anderson. Funeral services Monday, Dec. 27, at 1 p. m., from residence, 1035 N. Central-av., to Kloeckner Memorial Evangelical church, 820 N. Central-av. Interment Oak Hill. Kedzie 2394.

BELL—James Bell, Dec. 24, 1926, dearly beloved husband of Agnes, nee Jackson, dear father of Edith B. Bates, brother of Thomas Bell of San Francisco, Cal.; member of Cleveland Lodge No. 211, A. F. & A. M., Oriental Consistory, and Medinah Shrine, and Washington Council No. 23, Royal League, and Carpenter's Union Local No. 416. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, 1926, at 2 p. m., from residence, 4025 Potomac-av. Interment Forest Home.

BLACKMORE—Grace L. Blackmore, nee Greenhill, December 22, 1926, beloved wife of the late John C., fond mother of Florence, Harry, and Gertrude Blackmore. Services at chapel, 63d and Harvard-av., Monday, December 27, at 1 p. m. Interment at Graceland.

BLOTTIAUX—Jule Blottiaux, suddenly, dearly beloved husband of Rose Bonnan Blottiaux, fond father of Rose, Henry, Joseph, Angeline, Leona, Florence, and Evelyn Blottiaux. Funeral Monday at 9 a. m. from home, 1741 W. 33d-st., to St. Ann de Brighton church, where high mass will be celebrated; interment Holy Sepulchre. For reservations call Lafayette 1664.

BRADDOCK—Ella Braddock, nee Maher, December 24, beloved wife of the late John N., beloved mother of Ray A. and Viola, sister of Mary L., the late Elizabeth Maher and Mrs. E. W. Murphy. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, 10 o'clock, from late residence, 546 Oakwood-blvd., to Holy Angels church. Interment Calvary.

BRADSHAW—Michael J. Pradshaw, beloved son of the late John and the late Catharine, nee Grady, brother of John Joseph Bradshaw, Mrs. Winifred Dooley, and Mrs. Sarah Lucky. Funeral Monday, 9:30 a. m., from the late residence, 2047 Washburne-av., to St. Charles' church. Burial at Mount Carmel cemetery.

BRIGGS—Willis J. Briggs, beloved husband of Elba, father of Mrs. Ethel M. Traub. Funeral from the late residence, 5427 Fulton-blvd., Monday, at 2 p. m. Interment Mount Auburn cemetery. Member of the Railway Trainmen, O. R. C.

BURTON—Frank J. Burton, beloved husband of Lena B. Burton, father of John M., Russel F., and Helen B. Burton and Mrs. Alta Burton Mitchell. Funeral Monday at 1:30 p. m., from residence, 3421 Fulton-blvd., to Warren Ave. Congregational church. Interment Glen Oak cemetery. Past Master of Garfield lodge No. 686, A. F. & A. M. Member of York chapter, Tyrian council, Columbia commandery, Medinah temple and Oriental consistory. Garfield lodge members assemble at hall at 12:30 p. m.

ENDERS—Oscar Enders, dearly beloved husband of Anna, nee Schiedinger, fond father of Harvey L.; at rest in the funeral church, 3834-36 Irving Park-blvd., where services will be held at 1 p. m. Monday. Interment, Milwaukee, Wis.

FAHEY—Dennis Fahey, beloved husband of Anne Conroy Fahey, fond father of Thomas, Mrs. W. E. Sullivan, Mrs. J. A. Younger, Mrs. F. W. Heinle, Mrs. J. D. Hanrahan, Mrs. C. W. Sundin. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 9:30 a. m., from late residence, 310 N. Hamlin-av., to St. Mel's church. Interment Mount Carmel. Member of Western Reserve court No. 19, C. O. F.

FALES—David Fales, Wednesday a. m., Dec. 22, in his 84th year, at his home in Lake Forest, Ill. Funeral 2 p. m. Monday, Dec. 27 at Lake Forest Presbyterian church. The C. and N. W. train leaving Chicago 1 p. m. arrives Lake Forest 1:40 p. m.

FARRELL—Maria Farrell, Dec. 23, 1926, beloved wife of the late Michael, fond mother of Edward, Catherine, Paul, and Jerome Farrell. Funeral Sunday at 9 a. m., from late residence, 1939 N. Mozart-st., to St. Sylvester's church, where high mass will be celebrated; burial at Oregon, Wis. Member of Married Ladies' sodality of St. Sylvester's church. Please omit flowers. For information phone Humboldt 3773.

FITZGERALD—Jeremiah Fitzgerald, at his residence, 4339 W. Monroe-st. Funeral Monday at 9 a. m., to St. Mel's church. Interment Calvary.

FLEMING—Margaret Fleming, nee Riley, beloved wife of the late James Fleming and mother of Mrs. Catherine McClain, Albert, David, John, and the late Robert. Funeral Monday, 9 a. m., from 2340 W. Ohio-st., to St. Malachy's church. Autos to cemetery.

FRUHMANN—Frank Fruhmann, Dec. 24, dearly beloved husband of Mary, nee Ruling, and brother of Felix and Joseph Schanhuttel, Mrs. Carrie Hiarner, Joan Fruhmann and Mrs. Julia Eckert. Funeral from residence, 4101 N. Sacramento-av. Notice later.

GALLAGHER—Mary Gallagher, sister of the late Rev. Joseph S. Gallagher, aunt of Margaret and the late William, John, and James Gallagher. Funeral from residence, 1243 Elmdale-av., Monday, Dec. 27, at 9 a. m., to St. Gertrude's church. Interment Mount Olivet.

GROTH—May Groth, beloved wife of Edward Groth, fond mother of Harold, Gordon, and Mrs. R. W. Anderson, at her residence, 3419 Morgan-st. Funeral Monday at 2:30 p. m., from Seventh Presbyterian church, 58th-pl. and Sangamon-st. Interment Evergreen.

DEATH NOTICES

HANRIGAN—Frank C. Hanrigan, beloved husband of Catherine, nee Brand; fond father of Francis, Gerald, and Kenneth; brother of Mrs. Alice Leonard. Funeral from late residence, 5621 S. Rockwell-st., Saturday, Dec. 25, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Rita's church, autos to St. Boniface, Mount Morris, Ill. Y., papers please copy.

HARTIGAN—Michael Hartigan, beloved husband of the late Bridget Riley Hartigan, devoted father of May. Native of County Limerick, Ireland. Funeral Monday at 9:30 a. m. from late residence, 7145 Rhodes-av., to St. Columbanus' church, where solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated. Interment St. Mary's cemetery.

HENRICKSEN—Andrew Axel Henricksen, Dec. 23, beloved husband of Vera, nee Hanson, and fond father of Agnes, Kathryn, Burton, Alwyn, and Mellard. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 1:30 p. m., from his late residence, 4816 Modill-av., to Crailon Congregational church, at 2000 W. Lawrence-av., at 2 p. m. Interment at Mount Olive cemetery.

KEATING—Thomas Keating, beloved husband of Elizabeth, nee George, fond father of Mary, Catherine, and Thomas Andrew Keating, son of the late Andrew and Mary Barrett Keating, brother of Mrs. Mary Ward and Mrs. Julia McGough. Funeral notice later.

LIDGEN—Dolores Lidgen, Dec. 23, age 19 years, beloved daughter of Michael F. and Elizabeth Lidgan, fond sister of Dorothy and Florence. Funeral Monday at 9:30 from mortuary, Lincoln, Wellington and Southport-aves., to St. Alphonsus' church and St. Boniface cemetery.

LUTZ—Katherine A. Lutz, beloved wife of Joseph, fond mother of Jacob, Bertha, Lena, Elizabeth and George Lutz. Funeral services Monday, 2:30 p. m., from home, 1030 N. Menard-av. Interment Waldheim.

McLAREN—Mrs. Ida May McLaren, Dec. 23, 1926, beloved wife of William McLaren, fond mother of Edna, William McLaren Jr., and Mrs. Patra Arliskas. Member of Kensington chapter, Order of Eastern Star. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 2 o'clock from funeral home, 214 E. 115th-st. Interment Cedar Park cemetery.

MANGAN—James H. Mangan, beloved husband of Mary, nee Kirby, father of Mrs. James, Frank, and the late Joseph, brother of Phillip, Christopher, the late John and Mary. Funeral from son's residence, 1201 S. 60th-ct., Cicero, Ill., Monday, Dec. 27, 10 a. m. to Blessed Sacrament church. Interment Central Park. By auto to Calvary.

MARTIN—Louis D. Martin, suddenly at Hot Springs, Ark., Wednesday, Dec. 22, husband of the late Nellie Murphy Martin, brother-in-law of Bessie B. Murphy. Funeral today at 2 p. m., at St. Charles, Ill.

McGUIRE—John A. McGuire, beloved husband of Sadie Hearst McGuire, and father of Dr. Desmond F. McGuire, and the late Raymond; brother of Patrick and William. Funeral Monday, 9:15 a. m., from 1040 E. Kenilworth-av., Oak Park, Ill., to Ascension church. Burial Mount Carmel.

McSHERNEY—Bridget McSherney, beloved sister of Mrs. Anna Normoyle, Patrick, Margaret and the late Michael, Dennis and James. Funeral from residence of sister, 7310 South Park-av., Monday, Dec. 27, 9 a. m., to St. Columbanus church. Interment Mount Olivet.

MOORE—George Moore, at Alexian Bros. hospital, December 23, 1926. Funeral Monday, December 27 at 2 p. m., from 811 N. State. Interment at Oakridge cemetery.

MORLEY—Ottelia F. Morley, Dec. 24, 4th of the late Charles, fond mother of Carl F. and Mrs. Madeline H. Smith. Funeral services from chapel, 920 Belmont-av., Monday at 2 p. m. Interment Graceland.

MOSHER—Elizabeth O'Connell Mosher, Dec. 23, 1926, beloved wife of Alvord Mosher, mother of Herbert, Timothy, Mrs. Grace Jensen, Richard, Mary, and the late Harry Mosher, sister of Maurice and Timothy O'Connell, Mary Stein, and the late Mrs. Margaret Schnur, Daniel and John O'Connell. Funeral Monday at 8:30 a. m., from her late residence, 1653 Greenleaf, to St. Gregory's church. Interment at Calvary.

NACHOWICZ—Jacob Nachowicz, Dec. 23, beloved father of Julia, Frank, Mary, Theophilus, Bronislaus, Joseph, Agatha, Francene, and Peter. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, from his late residence, 2321 N. Rockwell-av., to St. Stanislaus Kostka church, 16th a. m. Burial at St. Adalbert's cemetery.

NAYLOR—Ethel Goodchild Naylor, at her residence, 747 Junior-ter., Thursday, Dec. 23, wife of Oscar Neal Naylor, mother of Hallton C., Neely, St. Paul, Miss., and Ogden H. Neely of Chicago. Services will be held Sunday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m. at chapel, 912 Irving Park-blvd.

O'NEILL—Bertha O'Neill, nee Trost, dearly beloved wife of the late Peter, fond mother of Joseph Peter, sister of Agnes, Laura, Charles, and Francis. Funeral Monday, at 9:30 a. m., from late residence, 3814 Dickens-av., to St. Sylvester's church. Interment St. Boniface. Member of Married Ladies' sodality, of St. Sylvester's church, Champaign and Urbana, Ill., papers please copy.

REPPETTO—Nettie Reppetto, suddenly, wife of Louis, sister of Lula Evans and Jessie Flaherty, at rest in the funeral church, 3834-36 Irving Park-blvd., where services will be held Monday at 2:30 p. m.; interment Irving Park Boulevard cemetery.

REYNOLDS—P. J. Reynolds, Dec. 24, 1926, beloved husband of Nora X. Reynolds, father of Thomas P. and Joseph K., brother of the Rev. Frank L. Reynolds. Funeral notice later.

ROSENBERG—Reuben Rosenberg, age 64 years, beloved husband of Fanny, fond father of Michael, Mrs. J. K. Harris, Mrs. M. H. Edelstein, Lou and Edward, brother of Sam, Louis, Mrs. Peter Vieno, Mrs. S. Jacobson, Mrs. D. Simons and Mrs. H. Goldberg. Funeral from late residence, 1256 Independence-blvd., at 10 a. m., to Congregation Anshe Maariv cemetery, Waldheim. Please omit flowers. New York City, Los Angeles, and Detroit papers please copy. For information call Lawndale 1154.

SCHLANGER—Henry Schlanger, age 69 years, beloved husband of Pauline, father of Theodore H. Schlanger and Mrs. Jeremias Marshall, brother of Albert and Sam Schlanger, and Mrs. Sarah Israel. Funeral from chapel, 3 E. Garfield-blvd., Monday, 10 a. m., to Mount Isaiah cemetery.

SCHULER—Frances Schuler, nee Shapero, 2953 N. Sacramento-av., Dec. 23, 1926, aged 62 years, wife of the late William Schuler, beloved mother of Frank, Mrs. Sophie Simon, Edward, Mrs. Frances Boerger, Mrs. Elizabeth Schloen, John, Mrs. Florence Degener, and Walter; dear sister of Mrs. Anna Shekoske, grandmother of eleven grandchildren. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 9:30 a. m., from daughter's residence, 4023 N. Francisco-av., to St. Francis Xavier's church. Burial at St. Joseph's cemetery.

SUTHERLAND—William O. Sutherland, Dec. 22, father of Mrs. C. M. Crane. Burial Oakwoods cemetery.

TAGNEY — Catherine Tagney, Dec. 23, 1926, widow of James W., mother of Harry, Mrs. Alice Willson, the late Thomas Tagney. Remains at chapel, 2700 W. Clark-st. Funeral services at Mount Carmel church, Monday, Dec. 27, at 9:30 a. m., where solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated. Interment Graceland.

WAIDNER—Frederick A. Waidner of 1040 Lake-av., Wilmette. Born Oct. 14, 1863; died Dec. 24, 1926. Funeral at home Monday at 1 o'clock. Burial at Graceland.

WASSHAUSEN—Albert Wasshausen, Dec. 24, 915 Elgin-av., Forest Park. Husband of Minnie Wasshausen, father of George, Elsie, Herbert, and Lillian. Services Monday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m., from chapel, 124 Madison-st., Oak Park. Interment Woodlawn. Member of Chicago Federation of Musicians.

WETTSTAEDT — Mrs. Louise Wettstaedt, widow of the late Christ Wettstaedt, beloved mother of Minnie Krengel, Mary Bolle, Fred, Hattie Loeck, and Christ. La Grange, Ill., Dec. 23. Funeral from 421 N. Catherine-av., La Grange, Christmas day, 1:30 p. m., to St. John's Lutheran church, Cicero and Warren-avs., Forest Park, 2:30 p. m. Interment Concordia cemetery.

WHITEFORD—David Whiteford, uncle of Janet C. Beggs, Mrs. Agnes W. McMillan, Mrs. Palmer Roesman, Thomas, Samuel, and William C. Beggs. Past president Chicago Master Plumbers' association. Remains at chapel, 134 N. Oak Park-av., Oak Park, until Monday. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m., from chapel, 134 N. Oak Park-av., Oak Park. Interment at Rosehill.

WILMOTTE—Muriel Avis Wilmotte, beloved daughter of J. Edward and Lillian Koepke, sister of J. Edward Jr., Robert, Evelyn, and H. Travis, at 634 N. Maplewood-av., Oak Park. Funeral notice later.

CARD OF THANKS.

ELLIS—Jacob Ellis. The family of the late Jacob Ellis wish to thank their relatives and friends for the sympathy shown in their late bereavement.
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The Ragged Edge

By Henry C. Rowland.

SYNOPSIS.

Granville Boyd, owner and navigator of the yacht Rigel, anchored in the harbor at Hamilton, Bermuda, is about to start on a semi-scientific expedition around the world. He is accompanied by his sister, Carillon, and a party of scientists. Carillon meets Bengal Dodd, who has brought his yacht Gunga to Bermuda on her maiden cruise, and she asks Dodd to tar along with the Rigel. Obtaining Boyd's consent, Dodd asks Jim Howland and his daughter, Gertrude, to accompany them. As they are about to leave a widow at one of the Hamilton hotels loses her jewels and Carillon is suspected of the theft. Bengal Dodd is a former district attorney of New York and he decides to do everything in his power to help Carillon clear herself of the suspicion. He suspects Mrs. Ransome's maid, Irma, who formerly worked for Carillon. While Boyd and Dodd are in Hamilton working on a clew Mrs. Ransome, accompanied by Irma, comes aboard the Rigel and assures Carillon that she is certain of her innocence and tells her she is free to leave on the Rigel whenever she pleases. The two boats start off, agreeing to meet at Port au Prince, but on the seventh day out Bengal sights the Rigel drifting north. On boarding her he finds that she has been abandoned, evidently the victim of pirates. Getting Howland's permission to have Gertrude accompany him as navigator on the Rigel, he takes over the yacht and agrees to meet Howland and the Gunga at Ragged Island. Following a clew he finds on the chart, he makes instead for Verde Cay, an uninhabited island off the beaten track. He arrives there just in time to see Carillon try to escape from one of her captors. Bengal decides to land and asks Gertrude to rush the Rigel to Ragged island for help if he doesn't return in thirty minutes.

INSTALLMENT XIX.

BENGAL OFFERS TO TRADE.

Bengal rose and went on deck. Quentin, at the wheel, had been keeping the Rigel partially hove to, filling and luffing as she edged back and forth about a quarter of a mile off shore. The hard nor'wester showed no sign of abating, but this did not matter under short canvas and in the still water under the island's lee.

The two men cleared the dinghy and dropped it overside. Casting about for some sort of weapon that might be concealed about him, Bengal chose a heavy marlin spike from the bosun's chest, then on second thought slipped it into the locker of the boat.

He had unshipped the dinghy's detachable motor from the stern transome, the last thing desired being to offer means of speedy escape, and now as Gertrude edged closer in to the shore he turned to the girl, holding out his hand.

"If I don't come back, then au revoir, brave and competent shipmate. I wish that Carillon had married her first dupe, and that you and I had gone to sea together before."

Her firm little hand clasped his. "Au revoir, strong man. I'm beginning to wish that, too. What a lot of trouble it would have saved. Promise me to mind your step as you go along."

"O, does she? We'll see. Ever see a hot gun barrel used for a foot warmer?"

Bengal stepped down into the dinghy, picked up the oars and started to pull in for a little niche between the rocks. Gertrude gave him an encouraging wave.

Glancing then over his shoulder, Bengal was not surprised to see that their movements had been watched. The aquiline man with the rifle appeared over the spine of the hill and stalked like the bird of prey he suggested to the spot for which Bengal was heading. A young woman in a gray light flannel sport suit that was faultlessly cut stood beside the armed guard. It needed but a glance at her oval, pretty but feline face to establish her identity as that of the French maid, Irma.

As Bengal stepped out of the boat, painter in hand, the armed man, who might be one of any European nationality, said briefly but dispassionately: "Hands up, fella . . ." Then, as Bengal with equal taciturnity obeyed: "Frisk him, Queen."

"Look in the boat. In back, there . . ."

It occurred to Bengal that only a landsman would have so described the stern, where there was a small locker for keeping things dry. Irma stepped lightly into the boat and opened it, saw the marlin spike and held it up with a questioning look.

"Chuck the ice pick overboard," ordered the man. "No, hang on to it. That might come in handy. Well, what d'ye want?"

Bengal jerked his head at the Rigel. "Do you know what yacht that is?"

"Yes, I do now. What about her?"

"If I'm not back aboard her in half an hour, thirty minutes, she will be on her way to bring an armed posse here. What they do with your crowd will depend on what your crowd has done to her people, and what you may still do in the meantime."

"They gotta get us, first."

"They'll get you, if you are still here. You've got about five hours to get off. Four, maybe."

"Is that so?" The dry voice had a sardonic cut. "And where do we go from here, brother?"

"To the jug at Nassau, I should say. Or maybe to stretch some nice new hemp. Depends on what you've been up to. British West Indies treatment of pirates hasn't changed in the last two hundred years, that I know of."

"You know a hell of a lot, don't you, now?"

"Quite some. For instance, I know how to get that gas cruiser of yours afloat and going. She doesn't look to be damaged to speak of. But you people couldn't get her off before the wind shifts, and then she will break up."

"O, couldn't we? Why not?"

"Well, you've tried, haven't you?"

"Maybe, and maybe not."

"Let's say you have; I can tell you what happened."

"Well, what?"

"She's on the very edge of the bank. It goes down steep, so the anchor you carried out astern and dropped to haul off against slid down hill for about a mile, or would have if you'd had had eight hundred and eighty fathoms of cable."

"Know quite a lot, don't you, fella?" The voice was sardonic, sneering, but Bengal could see that the man was impressed.

"Quite some, stupid. More than the lubber that bored into the yacht's fresh water pressure tanks in the fond hope that he was sinking her. That guy didn't know fresh water from salt, and hadn't the brains to taste it. But maybe he wouldn't have known then."

The criminal face flared, congested, then went suddenly a greenish white.

"Permit me to point out that my time is wearing on," Bengal said. "Time, you know, is one of the two things that waits for no man, not even at the point of a gun. Tide is the other."

"You say you can get that boat off the rocks?"

"I can, chief."

"Then 'spose you get busy."

"My terms are strictly cash, Mr. Bluebeard. If you turn over the Rigel's crowd, I'll guarantee to get your boat afloat as soon as they are safely aboard."

"Don't want much, do ye?"

"Nothing that's of value to you. I am not asking even a souvenir of Miss Boyd's jewels."

"Why should you, when you count on sending in that bill later? Well, I'm wastin' time, as the fella said when he threw the alarm clock out of the window. Come, step out ahead. I'll tell you how to go."

"Then you are not the big chief? Why didn't you tell me that before I wasted breath . . ."

"Save it, and start now. You might need it to haul off that boat."

"If I'm not back aboard the yacht in . . ." Bengal glanced at his watch, ". . . twenty minutes, that boat will be hauled off and set ashore in chunks."

"O, will she? I got a notion she's coming all together, and pretty soon. Never mind if the yacht does go off and leave ye, guy. We got a pleasant party here."

Bengal stared, a little puzzled, then burst out angrily: "Say, stupid, do you think I count on hauling that boat clear with my hands?"

"We might all help a little. And wherever ye got that stupid just put it back."

"All right. Then the cruiser stays there 'til she breaks up, and be damned to you and her. . . ." Bengal's cog of ire was slipping. He was in danger of forgetting Gertrude's caution.

"O, does she? We'll see. Ever see a hot gun barrel used for a foot warmer?"

"There are landlubbers," Bengal said, meditatively, "and land lubbers. This up country apple-pounder is both. Listen, old Hayfever. The only possible way to drag that baby off the rocks out there is to tie one end of a piece of string to her hind quarters and the other to the rump of the yacht and giddap, gee . . . haw. Do you get me?"

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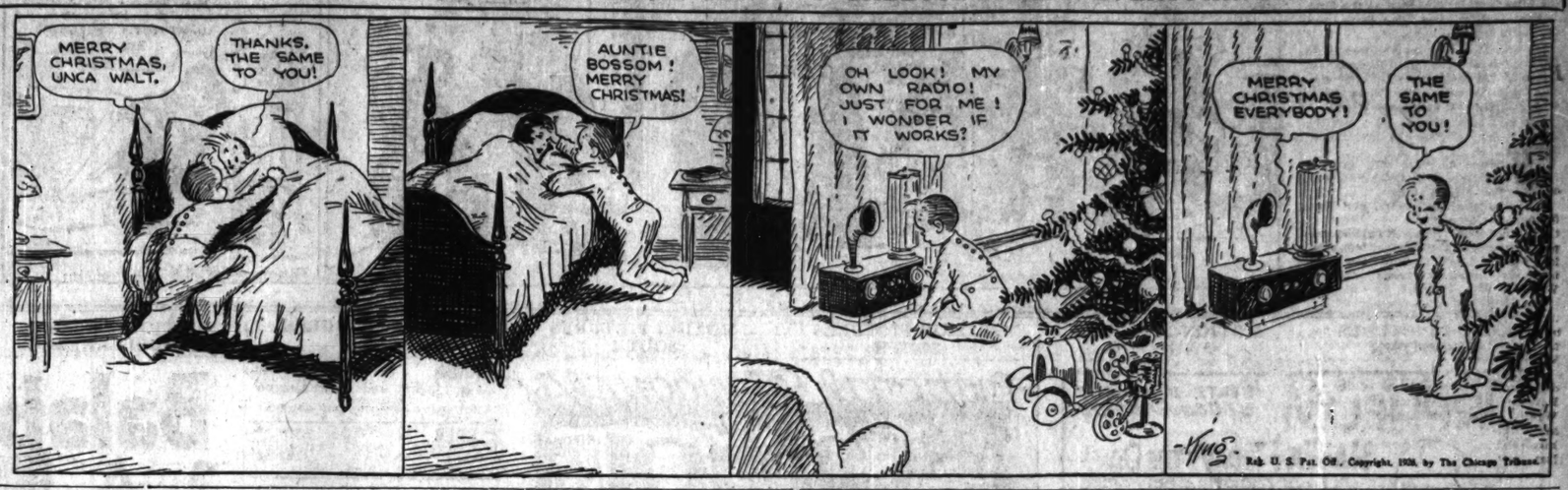
[Continued Monday.]

GASOLINE ALLEY—WITH THE SEASON'S GREETINGS AND EVERYTHING



Read This and Discover Who Won the War

"We're in the Navy" Full of Heavy Laughs.

"WE'RE IN THE NAVY NOW"

Produced by Paramount.
Directed by Edward Sutherland.
Presented at McVicker's theater.

THE CAST.

Knockout Hansen ..... Wallace Beery
Stinky Smith ..... Raymond Hatton
Captain Smithers ..... Chester Conklin
Sailor Percival Scrurrs .... Tom Kennedy
Radio Officer ..... Donald Keith
Madelyn Phillips ..... Lorraine Eason
U. S. Admiral ..... Joseph W. Girard
Admiral Puckerlip ..... Max Asher

By Mae Tinée.

Good Morning and MERRY CHRISTMAS!

And a lot of them both to you, Fans dear!

Perhaps you're too happily occupied to bother with the movie column this morning. Then, on the other hand, maybe you'd like to know about a couple of new pictures to see after you've looked over your presents, had dinner, etc. If that's the case——

You might go to see "We're in the Navy Now."

It celebrates McVicker's return to the Balaban & Katz fold and stars jointly those two comical fellows, Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton, who as Knockout Hansen and Stinky Smith become gobs through no fault of their own and win the war after their own inimitable fashions.

I could go much into detail, but I'll let the picture do that for you. It is a comedy, quite pure, exceedingly rough, and not always so simple, there being one bad break in the continuity.

Just the same it is a rollicking affair wth Beery et Hatton performing with their usual gusto, assisted by a jovial and competent supporting cast.

And Here Are a Few Laughs for Tomorrow

"THE CRUISE OF THE JASPER B"

Produced by De Mille Pictures corporation.
Directed by James W. Horne.
Presented at the State-Lake theater, TOMORROW.

THE CAST.

J. Clement Clergett ..... Rod La Rocque
Agatha Fairhaven ..... Mildred Harris
Wiggins ..... Jack Ackroyd
Reginald Maltravers ..... Snitz Edwards
Auctioneer ..... Otto Lederer
Assistant Auctioneer ..... James Mack

This is a lively and funny farce.

It's sort of a take-off on the Fairbanks things, displaying Rod La Rocque in a rôle that demands a mustache, agility, and a great many of the qualifications that have gone to make Little Mary's husband the favorite he is today.

Mr. La Rocque is discovered first as a pirate who sees what he wants and takes it whether it be girl or gold. This, in 1725. The scene then changes to 1925 and there is the gentleman as an nth descendant about to be sold out of house and home if he doesn't marry by 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the next day.

A will, a girl, a villain, an auctioneer, a valet, and various and sundry other comedy ingredients are rapidly added to the plot and the story buzzes, whirrs, gathers momentum, and fairly runs away with itself before your laughing eyes. For—do you laugh? O, yes, you laugh most heartily.

"The Cruise of the Jasper B" is a bunch of absolute foolishness and makebelieve, being nothing else. Everybody in the cast enters into the spirit of nonsense with the result that they give you an awfully good time.

Situations and subtitles are clever; photography is fine; direction is capable; acting swell; ensemble—just what such a combination would make it.

You spell the answer.

See you tomorrow!

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Arrived.	At.	From.
Thuringia	Queenstown	New York
Roussillon	Bordeaux	New York
Reliance	Kingston	New York
Pres. Harding	Bremen	New York
Pres. Jefferson	Manila	Seattle
Pres. Lincoln	Hongkong	San Francisco
Montcalm	Liverpool	St. John, N.B.
Minnedosa	Southampton	St. John, N.B.
Sailed.	**From.**	**To.**
Veendam	New York	Rotterdam
Bayonian	New York	Liverpool
Minnekahda	New York	London
Samland	New York	Antwerp
Vestris	New York	Buenos Aires
Adriatic	Liverpool	New York
Ile Bourdonnais	Vigo	New York
Tuscania	Liverpool	New York

HOSTESS

MISS DOROTHY GRIFFIN.
[Wagner Photo.]

The Chicago club of the University of Notre Dame will hold its annual formal subscription entertainment and dance in the main dining room of the Drake on Monday evening. This year's event promises to be the most ambitious effort yet put forth. Joe Rudolph and his orchestra from W. Q. J. radio station, and artists from the loop shows will entertain. Ray McClory, president of the club, will head the reception committee, and Miss Dorothy Griffin will lead the group of hostesses.

Catherine Crerar and Ralph Otis Get License

A marriage license was issued on Thursday to Ralph C. Otis Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Otis of 1352 Astor street, and Miss Catherine Crerar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Crerar of the Drake hotel. Miss Crerar's age was given as 19 and Mr. Otis' as 24. Their wedding is planned for Jan. 15.

Ganna Walska Wins Praise for Singing of "La Tosca"

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

BUDAPEST, Dec. 24.—Ganna Walska last night sang "La Tosca" in the city theater here and scored a great success before a house packed with a fashionable crowd. The critics extolled her splendid dresses, fine acting, and schooled voice.

Miss Bernstein and Mr. Stock Dispense Christmas Cheer

BY EDWARD MOORE.

Being to a considerable extent believers in Christmas cheer themselves, Mr. Stock and the Chicago Symphony orchestra dispensed plenty of it at Orchestra hall yesterday afternoon, and the audience went away with a comprehensive and pervasive smile. That was a case where music had its effect.

Rae Bernstein, a greatly talented and excellently schooled Chicago pianist, was the soloist, giving the first performance here of a concerto composed by Sergei Eduardowich Bortkiewicz, if you are interested in collecting unusual names, and incidentally she made a highly pronounced hit. You will perhaps judge from the name that the concerto came from Russia, and you will be correct.

Bortkiewicz, it would seem, was an ardent admirer of Tschaikowsky, and at the time he wrote the concerto his memory was fairly accurate. It is not in his dispraise that this should be so, for he produced an uncommonly effective piece, one that has plenty of likable moments for the hearer and a lot of hard work converted into brilliant expression for the pianist.

In that case, everybody should be satisfied. Certainly the audience was satisfied with Miss Bernstein's skilled display and tensely emotional manner of projection, and it did well to be.

Hers was only part of the aforesaid cheer, however. Mr. Stock began with two lovely pieces, the Pastorale from Bach's "Christmas Oratorio," and a suite from Rimsky-Korsakow's "Christmas Eve." After the intermission came one of the orchestra's great display pieces, Richard Strauss' "Don Juan," played this time with a little more clarity and a little more brilliancy than ever before. The program closed with Glazounow's "Scènes de Ballet," which included everything that was good humored, persuasive, and inspiriting in the art of dance music.

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"Harrison Fisher Girl" Is Married in London

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Juliette Compton, American film and stage actress, drove from the Nursing home to church this afternoon to be wed to James Bartram, an Englishman. She nearly fainted during the ceremony and after it was over drove back to the home. Mrs. Bartram also was known as a favorite model for Harrison Fisher, the illustrator.

What's Doing Today

CONVENTIONS.

Alpha Epsilon Phi sorority ..... Congress
Phi Delta Epsilon ..... Palmer
Phi Sigma Sigma sorority ..... Drake

EVENING EVENTS.

Chi Alpha Gamma sorority [card party] ..... Rainbo Gardens
Homiliotes reunion [dinner-dance] ..... Bismarck

The Inquiring Reporter

Every Day He Asks Five Persons, Picked at Random, a Question.

The Tribune will pay $5 for each question accepted for the Inquiring Reporter to ask. Send name and address with your question to "The Inquiring Reporter," Chicago Tribune. For today's question Mrs. E. W. Huelster, 201 North Riverside drive, Elkhart, Ind., was awarded $5.

The Question.

If you could spend Christmas as you wish, how would you spend it?

Where Asked.

Monroe street at Dearborn.

The Answers.

James Sullivan, 1526 East 62d street, salesman—I would certainly spend my Christmas in Florida. One could throw aside that overcoat and give everybody in the cold north the merry laugh. First, it would be a game of golf, then a swim, with a temperature of—make it 85 or 90.

Mrs. A. V. Ackely, 1302 Waveland avenue, housewife—There is nothing that would give me greater happiness than to be able to gather my children together and their little ones around my own table this Christmas. I was never happier in my life than when I found that my youngest daughter escaped the wreck on that Florida train. She was on an earlier train.

James Conners, 7422 Coles avenue, Notre Dame student—I'd like to spend it in warm, balmy California. I think I should rest for a while under a shady palm and sip Christmas orange juice with a crate of olives on one side, a crate of prunes on the other, and further surrounded with oranges, figs, and other fruits.

Miss Lulu Herro, 5969 West Erie street, bookkeeper—I am satisfied to spend it at home with the family and our friends, then with good health, what more could one ask? My best friend is miles away, much to my sorrow—well, I may go out anyhow. Now, here's a Merry Christmas for you and the entire world.

William Stickel, 2112 Addison street, clerk—What I actually will be doing is delivering Christmas packages, at least a portion of the time. If I had the time I would go out to the cemetery and see my mother's grave. After that, or in the evening I would probably go to a show.

Dollar Phase of Christmas Passes: Today Peace, Good Will

BY GENEVIEVE FORBES HERRICK.
(Pictures on back page.)

It's going to be a merry Christmas in Chicago today.

And a religious one. And charitable. And musical.

First in the pageant of the 1926 Yuletide came the dollar sign episode which ended yesterday with an estimated $105,000,000 expenditure for presents, regarded as a record. Radio sets were said to lead the field. Then followed the charity basket, the Good Fellows, the neighborhood festival. Later in the afternoon and early in the evening there were the ancient carols. At midnight special services in many of the Episcopal churches ushered in the birthday of Christ.

Early this morning, and all through the morning, a series of masses at Roman Catholic churches throughout the city will emphasize the sacred part of today's festivities. At noon it's the turkey dinner, then the bag of presents and by night an exhausted Santa Claus is expected to have made the day a superlative holiday.

From the long list of charity enterprises scheduled for yesterday these are a few:

The Salvation Army, under the direction of Commissioner John McMillan, distributed 2,200 baskets to the needy yesterday morning at the First Regiment armory. Mayor William E. Dever, who was present, characterized the meeting as "about as worthwhile a thing as I have seen for many a day."

A great concourse of worthy but needy men, women and children; mountains of provisions, clothing, toys and sweetmeats for the children. A finely organized and carefully planned distribution of this mountain of food. I greatly regret that the people of Chicago could not be present to witness this expression of the Christmas spirit," he added.

The Volunteers of America, from their headquarters, 2841 Washington boulevard, gave out more than 1,500 baskets. Judge Marcus Kavanagh, Maj. Gen. Milton J. Foreman, George I. Haight, and G. V. Schermerhorn assisted Col. H. Smith of the Volunteers in the distribution.

Judge A. M. Eberhardt turned his court in the Maxwell street police station into a Christmas headquarters yesterday when he gave out 350 baskets and put on an entertainment. Funds for the baskets were sent in by Maxwell street merchants. Ald. John T. Wilson of the 11th ward provided $2,800 worth of food and clothing for the needy in his ward from the moneys collected at his annual Christmas benefit party.

The North Center Lions club gave out baskets. So did the Immanuel Baptist church, the Woodlawn Lions club, the Washington Park Lions club, and the Elks.

Mrs. Myrtle Bradlaid, president of the Soldiers' Home organization, was in charge of gift giving to the war veterans who gathered in the G. A. R. hall of the Chicago public library.

From every town and village and suburb near Chicago came news of charity, either civic or group. In Highland Park the fire engine chased up and down the streets, and over to the Dorcas orphanage in Deerfield, carrying to the orphans and to poor children toys which the firemen, in their spare moments, had gathered in from attics, repainted, mended, and made new.

Yesterday was festive as well as charitable.

Anthony Czarnecki, collector of customs, entertained 400 employés from the federal and county buildings at a party in his office. Exercises were held in each of the parks comprising the south park district. President Edward T. Kelly and Supt. George T. Donoghue were guests at several of the entertainments.

The Apollo Musical club sang carols in County Recorder Joseph F. Haas' office. This club and the Enterprise Choral club turned the Board of Trade into a concert hall for twenty minutes yesterday afternoon.

With all this local preparation in progress for today's celebration, the railroads did their share by sending in each train with a full quota of passengers, most of them bound for Christmas dinners in Chicago.

Christmas services were observed in many Episcopal churches at midnight last night. Begining at 4 o'clock this morning there is to be a special series of masses in the Roman Catholic churches. Cardinal Mundelein's Christmas message will be read from the pulpit of every church in the diocese. The cardinal will celebrate a solemn pontifical high mass at 11 o'clock at Holy Name cathedral.

At 11 o'clock Dr. John Thompson of the First Methodist Episcopal church will hold services at the Chicago temple.

At the Epiphany Episcopal church, Adams street and Ashland boulevard, Bishop Charles P. Anderson will preach at 10:30 a. m. The holy communion will be celebrated at 6 a. m. and choral eucharist with full choir at 7:30 a. m.

Varied programs of religious ceremonies have been arranged for by each of the churches of many of the other denominations, including the Baptist, Congregational, and Presbyterian.

Christmas will not be entirely a day of rest to the employés of the postal department, although, with a record volume of busines lined up in back of them, officials have ordered but one delivery in the residential districts, none downtown. The general delivery window at the central office will be open until noon.

SOMETHING OUGHT TO BE DONE ABOUT THIS

Yuletide Gilds Europe

ROME, Dec. 24. — (AP) — As the brazen-tongued bells heralded the beginning of the midnight Christmas mass over the seven hills of the eternal city, Pope Pius in the vatican and the people of Rome in their twenty score churches knelt in joyful celebration of the birth of Christ.

Every house of worship, from the tiniest churches, illumined with a few dozen candles, to austere basilicas, was crowded with worshipers, while beyond the Tiber, in his private chapel surrounded by his household and a few friends, the pontiff prayed in unison with them.

Before attending the mass, the people of Rome, to whom Christmas eve is the most precious family festival of the year, gathered around tables groaning with food and drink. For the most part the people feasted on eels. The children gorged themselves with rich cakes. Premier Mussolini having allowed Italy a respite from war bread for the duration of the holiday season.

King Victor Emmanuel, Queen Helena and Crown Prince Humbert came especially from Turin to celebrate Christmas at the Quirinal palace. On his arrival the monarch announced a personal subscription of a million lire [$45,000], to the "Lictoral loan," which is being raised to help stabilize the country's finances.

Christmas Card King's Will.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 24.—By a curious coincidence the will of Sir Adolph Tuck, late chairman of Raphael Tuck & Sons, Ltd., who made a fortune in Christmas cards, was published tonight, Christmas eve. Sir Adolph, who died last July, left an estate valued at £320,000 [about $1,600,000], stipulating that any child among the beneficiaries who marries out of the Jewish faith will be disinherited. He left £15,000 to his son, Capt. Desmond Tuck, directing that the sum be distributed among the poor. Forty other bequests of $500 each were left to various charitable institutions, mostly Jewish. All employées of the company who have served for two years get four weeks' wages.

Pack Paris Churches.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Long before midnight crowds of fashionably dressed society folk began arriving at all the Paris churches, where midnight masses were scheduled. Notre Dame, Madeline, St. Sulpice, and many others, where in former years only a handful of curious tourists or devout followers gathered, tonight were packed with representatives of the highest strata of Paris society and a goodly delegation from the American and English colonies.

Christmas in Soviet Russia.

MOSCOW, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Soviet Russia today began to celebrate two Christmases—one based on the Gregorian calendar, which is observed by the townspeople, and the other coming thirteen days later, based on the Julian calendar, which is observed by the peasantry. Despite its repudiation of religion, the government is observed by the holiday by closing all departments for two days. Further evidence that the old Christmas spirit in Russia is not dead was seen in the crowded churches. The use of Christmas trees was widespread.

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Iroquois Association to Meet Next Thursday

The Iroquois Memorial association will hold its annual meeting in the lobby of the Iroquois Memorial hospital, 23 North Market street, at 1:30 o'clock next Thursday afternoon. It was announced yesterday that the association has installed in the new Masonic building at 32 West Randolph street—the site of the old Iroquois theater—a bronze tablet, in commemoration of the fire.

NEW YORK SOCIETY

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth M. Murchison gave a dinner party this evening at Pierre's for their debutante daughter, Miss Anrolle De Mauriac Murchison, and later took their guests to the dances given for Miss Katherine Ogden at the Ritz-Carlton and for Miss Edna Brokaw at the Park Lane.

Mr and Mrs. Charles A. Owen of 45 Park avenue gave an afternoon tea dance at the Park Lane for their sub-debutante daughter, Miss Rena Owen, who is a student at Spence school.

Col. and Mrs. Holland Duell left the Plaza today to pass the holidays in Augusta, Ga.

Mrs. James A. Blair will give a luncheon party at the Colony club on Monday for Miss Patricia O'Connor, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. O'Connor.

Sir Frederick Williams' Taylor, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, is spending a few days in New York over the Christmas season with his daughter, Mrs. Frederic N. Watriss, 7 East 75th street.

HAROLD TEEN—ALL CLAP HANDS—HERE COMES SANTA

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WARNER'S ORPHEUM — STATE at MONROE — 8:30 a.m. till MIDNITE

HA-HA! TODAY'S THE DAY! OLD DOC CHRISTIE PRESCRIBES A DOSE OF 1,000,000 LAUGHS in "THE NERVOUS WRECK" FOR THE HOLIDAYS--YOUR SYSTEM NEEDS THEM--HERE THEY ARE—

BIG MACK SWAIN AS THE CHRONIC INVALID WHOSE DAILY BREAKFAST FOOD IS A BOWL OF PILLS—

LITTLE CHESTER CONKLIN AS "MORT" THE COWBOY WHO RUNS (NOT WALKS) A MILE FOR HIS BOTTLE OF LINIMENT—

HARRISON FORD AS "DOLEFUL HENRY" ...HE'S THE "WRECK" HIMSELF - BUT OH-BOY-HE SURE CAN DRIVE HIS NAMESAKE

PHYLLIS HAVER AS "SALLY" WHOSE ROLLING EYES CHANGE THE WRECK FROM DOLEFUL TO DARING— YOU'LL LOVE 'EM AND LAUGH AT 'EM IN AL CHRISTIE'S SUPER COMEDY "THE NERVOUS WRECK" — IT'S FUNNY ENOUGH TO MAKE A HORSE LAUGH

AMAZING—REVELATIONS OF THE AFRICAN JUNGLES. BEN BURBRIDGE'S THE GORILLA HUNT — THE THRILL EPIC OF THE CENTURY — CASTLE — STATE AND MADISON STS.

What a Yuletide Joy! American Premiere 'On the Boulevard' (Kleine vom Bummel) Dazzling and Audacious Captivating Beauties! Great Cast! Original Plot! RANDOLPH — State & Randolph — 9 A. M.—CONTINUOUS—12 P. M.

WARNER BROS. VITAPHONE — Co-starring AL JOLSON GEO. JESSEL ELSIE JANIS WILLIE & EUGENE Howard REINALD WERRENRATH BRUCE BAIRNSFATHER FOUR ARISTOCRATS and SYD CHAPLIN as Old Bill in "THE BETTER 'OLE" — WOODS — EXTRA MIDNIGHT SHOW NEW YEAR'S EVE — REGULAR PRICES—SEATS NOW!

JONES, LINICK & SCHAEFER — RIALTO — 11 TO 11 — VODVIL PHOTOPLAYS — STATE at VAN BUREN — 7-BIG ACTS-7 — A MODERN REVUE — McGRATH & DEEDS—OTHERS — On the Screen—Now Showing "TIN HATS" CONRAD NAGEL CLAIRE WINDSOR

AUSTIN — AMBASSADOR — 4737 DIVISION—AUSTIN BLVD. — SPECIAL XMAS PROGRAM — Bert Lytell "OBEY THE LAW" — 5— Splendid Acts —5

MANOR 5509 W. NORTH AVE. — VIOLA DANA—"Bred in Old Kentucky"
PLAISANCE 466 N. Parkside at Lake — Mat. Today — MARION NIXON—"SPANGLES"
LUCILLE 653 No. Cicero Ave. — Mat. Today—ALSO FRANCIS "THE RETURN OF PETER GRIMM"
PARK LAKE ST. AT AUSTIN — ALSO FRANCIS "THE RETURN OF PETER GRIMM"
IRIS 5748-52 CHICAGO AVE. — DORIS KENYON—Second Stage Attraction — "LADIES AT PLAY"
AUSTIN 5619 W. MADISON — Matinee Daily — ANY COMPSON—"Belle of Broadway"

WEST

BROADWAY STRAND — Roosevelt Rd. at Paulina — MATINEE DAILY — JACK PICKFORD — "EXIT SMILING"
MARSHALL SQ. — 2434 Marshall Blvd. — Doors Open 1:30 — BIG HOLIDAY PROGRAM — VIOLA DANA—"Bred in Old Kentucky"
THALIA 1215-25 W. 18TH ST. — MATINEE DAILY — Doris Kenyon, Lloyd Hughes—"Ladies at Play"
HAMLIN 2822 W. MADISON — EDNA MURPHY—"COLLEGE DAYS"
SAVOY 4346 W. MADISON — MARION NIXON—"SPANGLES"
KEDZIE ANNEX 3210 W. MADISON — VIOLA DANA — "BRED IN OLD KENTUCKY"

EVANSTON

The New VARSITY — JACK HOLT in "MAN OF THE FOREST" — Williams Sisters—Varsity Concert Orchestra—Giant Geneva Organ—2,500 Seats. Conveniently located with Excellent Parking Facilities.

HOYBURN — MATINEE DAILY — NORMA SHEARER—"UPSTAGE"

MAYWOOD

LIDO — Doris Kenyon "LADIES AT PLAY" — Big Kiddies' Christmas Party at the Matinee—Vaudeville

SOUTHWEST

ATLANTIC — 2678 AND CRAWFORD — Big Time Vaudeville — WARNER BAXTER—"The Great Gatsby" — NEW YEAR'S TICKETS NOW ON SALE

Is the program of your favorite theatre appearing in the columns of your favorite newspaper? If not —see the manager!

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National Playhouses

CAPITOL — 79TH AND PARKWOOD — Now — Season's Greetings — Louise Brooks, Lawrence Gray, Evelyn Brent in "LOVE 'EM & LEAVE 'EM..." — On the Stage—Billie Moran, Sarah Jan McCabe and others, in "A Jamboree of Jazz" With THE CAPITOL MERRYMAKERS WITH DEL DELBRIDGE — LAST CHANCE TO BUY YOUR XMAS GIFT BOOKS — Special New Year's Eve Show at the CAPITOL and STRATFORD, with GEORGE JESSEL and Other Musical Comedy Stars Phone Tri-angle 1500 for Reservations — Monday MAE MURRAY in "Valencia" — On the Stage—BABY DOROTHY JOHNSON and Other Sensational Child Stars In a Big Juvenile Stage Show With

STRATFORD — 63D AND RACINE — NOW PLAYING BERT LYTELL in "OBEY THE LAW" Also THE STRATFORD SYNCOPATORS ON THE STAGE With 7—BIG STAGE HITS—! —Starting Tomorrow— Nense Peters in "Prisoners of the Storm" and big Holiday Stage Show

JEFFERY — THE BIG HOUSE — Continuous 2 to 12 — Norma Shearer "UPSTAGE" — —Tomorrow— "While London Sleeps"

GROVE — 76TH AND COTTAGE GROVE — Johnny Hines "Stepping Along" — Also Stage Specialties

CHATHAM — 15TH AND COTTAGE GROVE — HOOT GIBSON "THE BUCKAROO KID"

COSMO — HALSTED AT 79TH — MARIE PREVOST "FOR WIVES ONLY"

KIMBARK — 6240 KIMBARK — GEORGE WALSH "MAN OF QUALITY"

VENDOME — STATE AT 31ST ST. — NORMA SHEARER—"UPSTAGE" — TATE'S VENDOME SYNCOPATORS A JAZZ SENSATION

JACKSON PARK — Stony Island at 67th — Cont. 2-11 P. M. — TOM MIX "THE CANYON OF LIGHT"

HIGHWAY — 63rd & So. Western Ave. — LAURA LA PLANTE—"HER BIG NIGHT"

SHAKESPEARE — 43RD AT ELLIS — Cont. 1:30 to 11:30 — LAURA LA PLANTE—TULLY MARSHALL "HER BIG NIGHT" — FIRST SHOWING

PRAIRIE GARDEN — 58th and Prairie — RENE OWEN "THE FLAME OF THE YUKON" Comedy—"Light Wines and Bearded Ladies"

HARVARD — 63RD AND HARVARD — MATINEE TODAY — JOHNNY HINES "STEPPING ALONG" "BUFFALO BILL" No. 8—Matinee Only

MARQUETTE — 63RD AND KEDZIE — LAURA LA PLANTE—"HER BIG NIGHT"

MISCELLANEOUS | MISCELLANEOUS

A Merry Christmas To Our Patrons — Lubliner & Trinz — BELMONT — VAUDEVILLE'S BRIGHTEST STARS — VAN AND SCHENCK — Also On the Stage MARK FISHER And His Merry Music Masters in "Hey, Hey, Tinshop" — On the Screen "VALENCIA" With Mae Murray — Lloyd Hughes, Roy D'Arcy

HARDING — EDDIE PERRY and His Versatile Juniors — In Their Welcoming Jazz Creation "HERE WE ARE" — Photoplay "TIN HATS" Sunday — CONRAD NAGEL AND CLAIRE WINDSOR

SENATE — MADISON & KEDZIE — ART KAHN And His Gaiety Symphonists in "RHAPSODIES AND BLUES" With LORETTA YOUNG and ARNOLD KORT, Charleston Experts, A. E. A. Lion Trio, Ben Bernie, and Dan Gould's Dancers. —On the Screen— CORINNE GRIFFITH in "SYNCOPATING SUE"

CONGRESS — 2135 MILWAUKEE AVE. — ADULTS, 50c — CHILDREN, 25c — Billy Maine in Musical Review "Globs of Relations" — Also—Personal Demonstration by V. B. Modern of Hollywood, expert facial make-up man for movie stars. —On the Screen— MILTON SILLS in "PARADISE"

PANTHEON — Stockton Road and Wilson Ave. — Jack Holt, in "Man of the Forest"
BIOGRAPH — 2433 Lincoln Avenue — Reginald Denny, "Take It From Me"
COVENT — 3022 North Clark St. — Johnny Hines in "Stepping Along"
CRAWFORD — 20 S. Crawford Avenue — Reginald Denny, "Take It From Me"
DEARBORN — 40 West Division St. — Matinee Today at 1:30 — Reginald Denny, "Take It From Me"
ELLANTEE — Devon and Clark — Florence Vidor, "The Popular Sin"
KNICKERBKR — 4217 Irving Park — Norma Shearer in "UPSTAGE"
LAKESIDE — 4520 Sheridan Road — Mark Fraser, "To Whom Gold"
MADISON SQ. — 4th Madison Street — Hawaiian Day in "Callan Boy"

MICHIGAN — Cottage Grove and Michigan — NORMA SHEARER in "Upstage"
OAK PARK — Ave. "L" Sta. — Reginald Denny, "Take It From Me"
PARAMOUNT — 3040 Milwaukee — Viola Dana, "Bred in Old Kentucky"
PERSHING — 4634 Lincoln Avenue — NORMA SHEARER in "Upstage"
STATE — 3216 Madison Street — Viola Dana, "Bred in Old Kentucky"
VITAGRAPH — 2132 Lincoln Avenue — NORMA SHEARER in "Upstage"
WEST END — 125 N. Cicero Avenue — Reginald Denny, "Take It From Me"
WILSON — Madison and Western — Warner Baxter, "The Great Gatsby"
WINDSOR — Clark and Deming — NORMA SHEARER in "Upstage" — VAUDEVILLE

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Nancy Offers You a Merry Christmas—if You've Time to Read

BY NANCY R——.

A right merry Christmas to each and every one of you! This chronicler has her doots that you'll find time to read a mere society column this morning when there are so many fascinating packages to unwrap, callers to welcome, and the family dinner to get ready for, but she sends you the greetings of the season just the same.

One of the largest and gayest of the many family gatherings on the books for today is to be at the Charles Garfield Kings' spacious apartment at 209 Lake Shore drive. The festal board will be set for twenty-two—a sizable group for even the most luxurious of apartment dining rooms, but Mrs. King, who is one of our most skilled hostesses, is not at all daunted by it.

Among those who will sit down at the King table today are the John J. Mitchells, senior and junior; the William H. Mitchells and the Clarence Mitchells [Mrs. William H. Mitchell is the former Ginevra King, you know, while her sister, Marjorie, is Mrs. Clarence Mitchell], Miss Louise Mitchell, the Gardner Hammonds and Mrs. Hammond's brother, Rothwell Sheriff; the Harold A. Howards, Walter Dillingham of Honolulu and his son, Lowell, and William B. McCluer.

The Frederick T. Haskells aren't celebrating the yuletide in town, but are motoring to the country to have dinner in Lake Forest with Mrs. Haskell's son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hotz, and their two young sons, Robert and David. Mrs. Haskell's daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Luce, and their lively youngster, Henry Robinson Luce III., are here for a Christmas visit this week, and as they're all motoring out together for the day it will be a merry gathering.

The Charles T. Atkinsons, who are members of the all-the-year-'round clan in Lake Forest, have deserted the camp for this week-end and have gone to Rochester, N. Y., for a large reunion of Mr. Atkinson's family. They will be back here again early next week.

Day's News in Society

To the Dixon clan that will gather today for Christmas dinner at the residence of George W. Dixon of 1250 Lake Shore drive goes the palm for the largest society family reunion on the festive occasion. Mr. Dixon's daughter, Miss Marion Dixon, presides now in place of her late mother, the beloved Marion Martin Dixon. Mr. and Mrs. Silas H. Strawn and their daughter, Miss Katherine Strawn, who is to be married on Jan. 15 to Wesley Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Dixon, are the latest additions to the elastic circle.

Members of the family and in-laws who are to be at the festal board include the William Warren Dixons, the Homer L. Dixons, the Thomas J. Dixons, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Faithorn [Elsie Dixon], Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker [Edna Dixon], Dr. George P. Marquis, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dixon Th. [Anna Marquis], Mrs. Samuel K. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton B. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Channing Sweet of Denver, Colo., Arthur A. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Alan C. Dixon, and Stanley Woolworth.

Miss Helen Mortimer Hulbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milan H. Hulbert of 2620 Hampden court, wore a rose and silver metal cloth frock for her debut tea at the Fortnightly yesterday afternoon. Assisting were Miss Mary Louise Dreyfus, Miss Mary McCortney, Miss Virginia La Chaunce, Miss Francesca Bruning, and Mrs. Jackson Dering. After the tea the assistants and their escorts were entertained at dinner at the Hulbert residence, after which they danced at the Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall McCormick and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ayers are to give a tea dance for young people from 4 to 7 o'clock this afternoon at the Casino.

The Joseph P. Rends of 70 East Scott street are to give a Christmas ball for their debutant daughter, Miss Dorothy Rend, at the Blackstone this evening.

Capt. John F. Hines, commandant of the Ninth naval district and the Great Lakes Naval Training station, with Mrs. Hines, and their daughter, Miss Mary Hines, are spending the week in Kentucky.

Julius H. Barnes of New York, with his family, and Frank E. Carey of Chicago are to have a reunion of the Carey family over the holidays at the Carey residence, 3330 Sheridan road. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and family and the Carey family, there will be Mrs. A. T. Swart, Mr. Carey's sister from Winnipeg; Miss Gertrude Carey of Williamsburg, Va., and Miss Josephine Carey of Duluth.

Sorority Conclave.

The third province of Alpha Epsilon Phi sorority is to hold its annual conclave at the Congress hotel today. There is to be a fraternity breakfast at 11:30 o'clock, followed by a business session and a supper dance. Miss Ruth L. Wien is director of the province and Miss Phyllis Feingold is chairman of arrangements.

Senn High Alumni Party.

The Nicholas Senn High School Alumni association is to give its annual Christmas party at the Edgewater Beach hotel on Monday evening. Miss Ruth Ervin is chairman of the reception committee in charge of the affair. Raymond Ryan is president of the association.

WASHINGTON SOCIETY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Mrs. Coolidge today assisted at two distributions of Christmas cheer to the less fortunate in the world. This morning she was at Keith's theater, where the Central Mission Union distributed gifts, and this afternoon she went to the Salvation Army headquarters and distributed baskets. She accompanied the President to the Community Christmas tree south of the Treasury. The President turned on the lights.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter have as their holiday guests Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Goodrich and their son, Jack, of Boston; E. R. Pike of Chicago; Mr. Leiter's nephew, Colin Campbell, son of the popular former Miss Nancy Leiter; and Mrs. Leiter's relatives, her brother, Mrs. John R. Williams, and her brother-in-law and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. John Ballantine Pitney, and Mrs. Frederick Sterling of London. They will be among the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leiter tomorrow evening preceding the Children's Country home ball which Mrs. Leiter is sponsoring as president of the board of managers.

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER: Merry Christmas

As Furniture Store This House Is O. K.; as Home It's Zero

BY DORIS BLAKE.

A scandal ripening in the neighborhood furnished the choice bits at the tea. There were the usual remarks, "What can he see in that woman?" with the "that" well inflected, and "His wife is far more attractive," and "Aren't men the queer eggs?" and so on.

One woman who hadn't lent much to the discussion so far, perhaps because her turn hadn't come yet, more likely because she was plump and loved her marshmallow cake more, finally, after the last crumb disappeared, broke forth with: "Ever been in Mrs. (naming the wife's) home? It's just the sort of home that would drive a man down the street looking for a comfortable place to sit. It's a beautiful furniture emporium."

Out of the mouths of plump babies——

Of course, never having been in the house, I'm not in a fair way to judge whether it would serve as a good alibi for the mate's wanderings. And not knowing the man, either, I cannot tell but he might have wandered if every chair in the place were a welcoming bed of down.

But the beautiful furniture emporium does present a picture of the woman left to enjoy it alone. I've seen these furniture shop houses presided over by women suffering from an acute form of the disease known as house pride. As for the freedom, liberty, and joy you can get out of living in them, you might as well get a lease on some awe inspiring cathedral. You'd feel you were committing some form of vandalism to drop an ash or a paper in the sacred precincts. If you didn't feel it yourself you'd be reminded sharply that your conduct was all out of order.

As soon as the furniture in a house begins to count more than the occupants it is time to inquire about where the occupants are spending their time. They cannot be accused of neglecting their homes if a home isn't there—if there is a lot of furniture you don't dare stretch out on or in.

The house proud woman forgets that home is not for her only. It should be a place that her husband and children delight to come into, instead of shunning it. A home is a place where you don't live in deadly fear of messing the furniture, where you can lay your head back on pillows without expecting to be told that that's not what those pillows are for, and where a little litter on the floor isn't going to bring on an attack of hysteria.

DORIS BLAKE ANSWERS

Uncertainty Sometimes Helps.

"Dear Miss Blake: I've been going with a fellow about a month. I love him and I don't know just how to let him know, Esther. He'll lose interest advice. ESTHER."

If you wish to hold him, don't let him know, Esther. He'll lost interest as sure as you do, dear. Where there's uncertainty it seems to help the cause along.

Tea in Bookshop.

Alexander Greene is giving a tea in his bookshop in the Fine Arts building tomorrow afternoon for Miss Nellie C. Cornish, director of the Cornish school at Seattle, Wash.

JINGLETS

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

There Was an Answer.

The other day my boss gave me a letter, telling me to take it to a certain office and collect $8.50. Upon arriving I handed it to a girl, who, after reading it, asked me if there were an answer.

I absent mindedly replied: "Yes; the answer is $8.50." Amid the laughter I left as quickly as possible.

J. B.

PATTERNS BY CLOTILDE

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WOMAN'S AND MISSES' DRESS.

Printed velveteen will make this dress suitable for all daytime occasions, and, of course, there are many other suitable fabrics from which to choose. The shirring below the soft girdle provides fullness to the front of the skirt, and the "V" neck is finished with a soft rolled collar.

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Neglect Brushing and Your Hair Soon Loses That Gloss

Imagine, if you can, that period in coiffures when hair was dressed so elaborately that it had to stay dressed for days and days. It is recorded of one beauty of the seventeenth century (a dirty beauty) that her hair when taken down for the first time in fifteen days was so matted and messy it had to be cut off entirely. If one wants to preserve her beautiful illusions about past century beauties, the wisest course is not to go looking up items of personal hygiene of the day—isn't it so?

A head nowadays that doesn't look its daily brushings is dismissed as just something that doesn't belong in our enlightened age. I have an ugly suspicion, though, that some demon historian, rooting out cold, unalterable facts, may set down instances where modern heads went days without brushing for fear of upsetting marcels. Which brings me to the subject of dandruff, the commonest hair ailment known and whose ravages may be combatted or encouraged in proportion to the amount of brushing the head gets. In exaggerated cases, of course, brushing may have to be supplemented with other remedies. But you can say pretty safely that when dandruff first begins to show itself in the scalp if the hair is brushed daily you can check its progress almost at once. If, when the scalp throws off these horny layers, they are immediately removed there is no possible danger of crusts and cakes forming on the head nor of stoppage of the pores and diminution of the oil supply, as is the case when the scalp and hair are allowed to go neglected. A good brush that can get through the hair to the scalp is the best cleanser and mechanical massage known.

If one's head has gone beyond this early stage of dandruff the brushings should still be kept up while additional treatment is accorded. The crude oil treatment is good. Dip the finger tips into a saucer of crude oil and massage it into the scalp. Do this every night for a week and then shampoo the hair.

Sulphur is a well known and oft tried remedy for getting rid of dandruff. It may be applied in the form of an ointment or sulphur cream. An effective preparation is made of sixty grains of sulphur to one ounce of vaseline.

BEAUTY ANSWERS

BY ANTOINETTE DONNELLY.

M. S.: FOR A DOUBLE CHIN, TRY these exercises: Stand erect with head held high. Without moving the body, turn the head sharply to the right three times, then to the left three times. Relax the head and neck muscles and let the head roll around in a complete circle, going as far forward and back on the neck as you can. Next, let the head fall forward on the chest and backward again as far as possible. If you feel dizzy while doing the exercises, rest awhile. Afterwards, massage the neck with cold cream, particularly under the chin. Finish off with an ice rub.

U. B. R.: YOU ARE UNDERweight and need to increase your weight. In doing so your face will fill out. Standard weight for age 19, five feet two, is 118 pounds. Send stamped addressed envelope for instruction on how to add the extra pounds needed. You'll feel better when you have added a few pounds.

WEDDING

Miss Helen Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gordon of East 70th street, became the bride of Robert Fisher Cavin, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Cavin of Kansas City, Mo., on Thursday afternoon at the University Church of Disciples of Christ.

DEBUTANTE

MISS MARY TILDEN.

[Moffett Photo.]

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Tilden of Evanston are to give a reception to present their daughter, Miss Mary Tilden, this evening from 7 to 9 o'clock at the Country club of Evanston. Dancing will follow. Assisting Miss Tilden will be Miss Katharine Reynolds, Miss Helen Baird, Miss Betty Hall, Miss Genevieve Van Netre, Miss Carolyn Olson, and Miss Josephine Kleinhans.

This Junior Frock Is Simple but Smart

by Corinne Lowe

NEW YORK.—[Special Correspondence.]—She is not green with envy, this young miss—unless it be the envy of others. And, indeed, she is likely to please everybody—even the mothers of other girls—in this frock of green georgette. Its shade becomes youthful coloring, its simplicity has the indorsement of mature judgment, and yet it is chic enough to satisfy the critical contemporaneous eye.

Under the little bolero jacket the bodice is made of flat folds descending below the hip line. The skirt is full both back and front, and the only ornamentation consists of two large flowers of velvet posed at shoulder and hip, contrasting in a darker shade with the pale sea-green of the frock.

Nothing is better for the junior girl than the bolero mode. It is stressed in the midseason collections and appears in a wide range of delicate shades for afternoon and evening wear. Simulated boleros achieved by embroideries and inserts of contrasting fabrics are good for daytime wear and may be had in crêpes or woolen fabrics.

As for the other distinctive suggestions for the junior they may be had in the new collections of wraps. For the tuxedo coat is decidedly stressed for her. It may be worn open or closed and sponsors a loose back with swagger effect. A more dressy type of coat favors a low armhole and is likely to use dolman sleeves. Yokes are much stressed and the use of fur is reserved and likely to be confined to the flat variety.

TRIBUNE COOK BOOK

BY JANE EDDINGTON.

Merry Christmas.

The fairy ship is in, with "raisins in the cabin; almonds in the hold." Walter Crane said it. And Dickens said of the Christmas tree, "There was everything, and more." Washington Irving, in his "Old Christmas," says there was "meat for great and small." In fact, everybody has been remembering what the Christmas kings promised.

It is a blessed thing for us that the geniuses of the world have kept alive what we may call the very upper spirit of the Christmas time, because there are so many things, unless we are of the privileged of the earth, that may turn the day into a commonplace one, do what we will to keep it merry. The dinner getter, though making it merry for others, may lose merriment herself, unless others are extremely thoughtful of her. The gifts we receive that we do not care for, or conventional greetings may turn us from the merry spirit to the critical, follow the recipes for being merry how we will. We would always have some beautiful story read, some Christmas songs sung, some Christmas music listened to that we may the better live the day in all its meaning.

Many of the joys of the day have depended on loving preparations, the hanging of the greens, the securing of the rosemary that we may sprinkle it about, and perhaps of the learning of old games and observances.

The Christmas carillons or chimes extending from Christmas to Twelfth-Night make up a beautiful story of the "all-hail," the salutation, the nativity with the homage of the beasts, the homage of the shepherds, the homage of the three kings, the homage of the angelic choirs ("Gloria in Excelsis"), the cries of good will, the deckings with ivy and holly and mistletoe, and in later days the wassail bowl, the boar's head procession with its garlands and rosemary, the Christmas pie, and, finally, as revels go, the Twelfth-Night.

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Dresses, $6.50 to $32.50
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Basement, East.

Silk Remnants—

The 70th Twice-Yearly Sale 65c, 95c, $1.25 and to $2.25

Crepe de Chine, satin crepes, flat crepes, taffetas, radium silks, Canton crepes, satin charmeuse, corded silks, printed silks, black silks, and many other weaves, bringing thousands of yards of silks to this great silk remnant sale. Prices are extraordinarily low—such values as these mean savings of real importance. Anticipate your requirements during this sale! Lengths vary from 1 to 5 yards, widths from 32 to 54 inches.

Remnants Purchased in This Sale Will Not Be Accepted for Credit, Refund or Exchange.

Basement, South.

Sample Blankets—

$3.50 Each to $15 Pair

Sample blankets, some that have slight imperfections—some all-wool, others wool-and-cotton mixed. In plaids, solid colors and white, in both the twin-bed and full-bed sizes.

1000 Cotton Plaid Blankets (72x80-Inch) $1 Each

Basement, South.

Linens—

A Great Clearance Sale

Hundreds of pieces that have become soiled and mussed during the recent season's selling are decidedly underpriced for clearance. Included are huck towels, bath towels, linen table cloths, remnants of damask, and fancy linens.

Basement, North.

Boys' Clothing—

Overcoats Reduced to $15

Heavy all-wool overcoats in the season's smartest styles, all reduced for immediate selling. 11 to 17-year sizes, $15.

4-Piece Suits Now $9.85

Incomplete size assortments. One pair of long trousers and one pair of knickers, or two pairs of knickers. 7 to 17-year sizes, $9.85.

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Women's Gloves—

Women's Kid Gloves, 95c

Women's kid and suede gloves, all slightly soiled. In black, white and many colors, 95c.

Novelty Fabric Gloves, 55c

Novelty cuff gloves of washable suede fabric in tan, beaver, gray, sand, now 55c pair.

Basement, North.

Handkerchiefs—

A Clearance—8c, 12½c, 18c, 25c

Thousands of women's handkerchiefs—soiled and in incomplete assortments—in colors and white. Radically underpriced in this clearance sale at 8c, 12½c, 18c, 25c.

Basement, North.

Sale of Hats

A Special Purchase and Sale of Just 1,200 Good-Looking New Hats

$2

Felts, velours, velvets. Tailored and smartly trimmed. The smartest new colors.

1000 Children's Hats, $1 and $2

Basement, East

Students' Suits

Two Pairs of Trousers Very Specially Priced at

$15

Parents will find these exceptionally good values—for all are of the kinds usually higher priced.

Suits of all-wool fabrics in single and double-breasted styles.

In smart tan and gray patterns, all with wide-cut trousers. 32 to 38-inch chest sizes. $15.

Basement, South.

Girls' Shoes, $3.25-$5.50

Girls' footwear of patent leather, brown and putty color elkskin (soft calfskin)—almost every kind of shoes girls need.

They're well made, on comfortable lasts. Priced according to size and quality at $3.25, $3.75, $4 and $5.50 pair.

Basement, North.

Boys' High Boots, $5.50

Of elkskin (soft calfskin) made with Goodyear welted soles. Well fitted and well made in every respect. Sizes 12½ to 5½. $5.50.

Boys' Shoes, $3.50

Of elkskin (soft calfskin) and calfskin—in tan and black. High and low shoes, sizes 2½ to 5½. Excellent values at $3.50 pair.

Basement, North.

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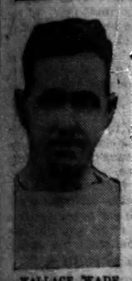
U.S. SENATORS DEFEND COBB AND SPEAKER

ALABAMA STAR STRICKEN; OUT OF COAST GAME

Stanford Full Back May Not Play.

BY WALTER ECKERSALL.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 24.—When Alabama and Stanford, two of the undefeated football teams of the country, meet in the Rose Bowl at Pasadena on New Year's day both elevens may be deprived of the services of valuable players.



WALLACE WADE. [P. & A. Photo.]

Among the advance guard of Stanford players who arrived here this morning to spend Christmas with relatives was Biff Hoffman, full back, who is regarded as the leading forward passer on the west coast. Hoffman is troubled with an infected foot and may not be able to start against the southern eleven.

Alabama, which will arrive in Pasadena tomorrow morning, has lost Gordon Holmes, its reliable center. Holmes was taken off the train at El Paso with an acute attack of appendicitis. He may follow the squad in a few days, providing an operation is not necessary. His chances of getting into the game, however, are doubtful, according to advance reports from Coach Wallace Wade.

Hoffman Triple Threat Star.

Loss of these players will greatly handicap the offensive and defensive play of both teams. Hoffman is an excellent triple threat player and Coach Warner had built much of the Stanford offensive around him. Holmes is considered one of the leading centers in the south. His passing has been accurate and his ability to size up plays on the defense has made him one of the most valuable players in the southern eleven.

Coach Warner will bring the remainder of the Stanford players on Sunday and practice will be renewed in the Rose Bowl on Monday. According to the players who already have arrived the squad has been put through some stiff scrimmage drills at Palo Alto, with particular emphasis being placed upon defense for Alabama's passing game. With the exception of Hoffman the players are in excellent condition.

"We intend to do what Washington failed to do last year," one of the players said today. "Alabama won't get away with their passes as they did against the Huskies a year ago. We know their game and they will be fortunate to complete even one pass."

Alabama Arrives Today.

Alabama, in charge of Coach Wallace Wade, will arrive in Pasadena tomorrow morning. The squad may be put through a practice session shortly after its arrival, as arrangements have been made to bring the entire party into Los Angeles in the afternoon to witness the professional game between Ernie Nevers' Eskimos and the Hollywood eleven.

Stanford still remains a favorite at odds of 5 to 4.

YALE, HARVARD NET TEAMS AGAIN TO GO OVERSEAS

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Another international team tennis match has been arranged between Yale and Harvard vs. Oxford and Cambridge, according to an announcement today from the United States Lawn Tennis association. It will be played at Eastborne, England, on or about Aug. 1, 1927. According to present plans the Americans will sail from New York early in July or immediately after the completion of the intercollegiate championship tournament, which is scheduled for the Merion Cricket club the last week in June.

Peggy Bettinson, Noted English Promoter, Dies

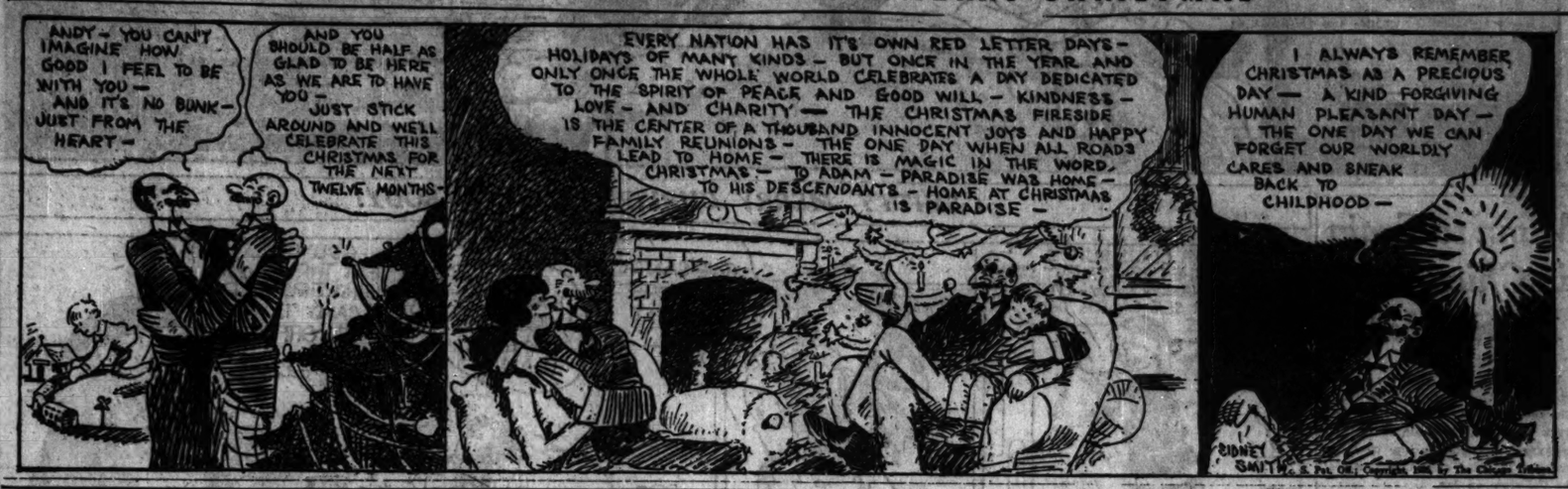
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 24.—A. F. Bettinson, known to sporting men the world over as "Peggy" Bettinson, died this morning at his London home of heart illness, following pneumonia. Mr. Bettinson was the founder, and for years manager of the famous National Sporting club, at whose arena in Covent Garden, London, many of the greatest boxing bouts were staged.

Mr. Bettinson was best known as probably the world's greatest authority on boxing. With John Fleming, he founded the National Sporting club in 1891, and after Mr. Fleming's death he later became the sole manager, until ill health forced him to turn over the management to his son eighteen months ago.

Mr. Bettinson died at the age of sixty-five. He brought many famous American boxers to England and did more than any other man on this side of the Atlantic to promote friendly rivalry between America and England in sport.

THE GUMPS—WISHING YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS



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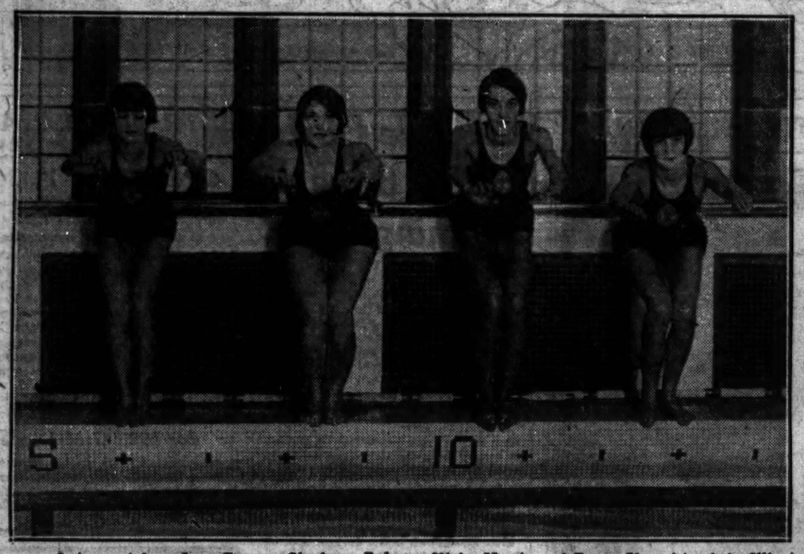

Left to right: Jane Fauntz, Charlotte Bohman, Violet Martin, and Emma Shemaitis of the Illinois Women's Athletic club, who made a good showing in the recent C. A. A. U. championship at Milwaukee. Miss Fauntz won the 100 yard breast stroke junior championship. [Burke & Koreiks Photo.]

In the WAKE of the NEWS

CHRISTMAS.

Christmas carols in the air,
O'er the earth—yea, everywhere
Love is holding court.
Holly bright and mistletoe,
Children skipping to and fro—
Love defends the fort.

Santa left a trail of gifts
That Love might seal the threat'ning rifts;
Love abounds today!
Hearts grow glad in off'ring cheer,
Hands touch hands of those most dear,
Love's mandates to obey.

Christmas, thou most blest of days,
Our hearts respond to your glad lays,
Love their whole import!
Lips chant those blessed words again,
"Peace on earth, good will toward men,"
While Love is holding court.
Cacoethes Scribendi.

* *

Well, if not a white Christmas, let's have a bright Christmas.

Christmas Carol.

I'm happy as a bird today,
I'm gleeful just because
My "sweetie" gave me
a pipe. You see
THERE IS A SANTA CLAUS.
The Tyrant.

* *

This Wake, conducted by Harvey T. Woodruff, wishes all Helpers and readers their merriest of all Christmases!

* *

Star of Bethlehem.

O, Star of Bethlehem, shine bright
Throughout the world this Christmas night.

For in the glory of your beam
The Son of God stands forth supreme.
Peace on earth, good will to all,
The shepherds heard the angels call,
And Wise Men came to hail Him King,
And countless treasures they did bring.
The Prince of Peace, this Christmas morn,
To all the world, a Savior born.

O, Star of Bethlehem, shine bright,
Throughout the world this Christmas night.
G. A. R.

* *

It was not an enviable Christmas package handed Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker by the high rulers of baseball.

* *

Christmas Cards.

As the twilight deepens on Christmas day,
I leave the folks gathered and slip away
To my room, where in solitude I spend
An hour in communion with old-time friends.
I take from my pocket my Christmas cards,
Some signed "As ever," some say "Regards";
And as I go over the thinning pack,
My room fades out and I wander back
Down the flowery paths of another day
Where pleasures beckoned and youth held sway!
And while Memory weaves her magic spell,
I live o'er the times that we knew so well.
And no gift of Christmas, whate'er it be,
Brings half the joy that these cards bring me.
Fair, Fat, and Forty.

* *

And we hope that to none of you this Christmas means "just another Saturday."

* *

Christmas Exchange.

That purple scarf I so detest,
I've thought and thought and tried my best,
But can't recall just now, you see,
Who 'twas gave that darned thing to me.
But I've a plan right now thought out.
I'll send it to my Cousin Sue.
"Yes," says Ma, "and beyond a doubt
She'll send your green one back to you."
F. M. L.

* *

And then there was the little brother who burst in where the "sweetie" was holding forth and said, "Sis, may I borrow your stocking for Santa? It holds so much more."

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Do You Remember Way Back When:

The town band passed through the streets early on Christmas morning playing the beautiful strains of "Holy Night" and "Little Town of Bethlehem," and at some homes the band was called in and served hot coffee and doughnuts?—L. H. B., Bloomington, Wis.

BRUGNON AND PARTNER LOSE IN NET TOURNEY

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

NICE, Dec. 24.—An excited throng at the La Festa Tennis club at Monte Carlo watched the finals in the men's doubles today. The Danish champion, Louis Worms, with B. Gallepe, champion of Monaco, upset, 6—3, 7—5, 6—4, Toto Brugnon, the French star, and the English tennis critic, Wallis Myers. Brugnon's play was the most brilliant he has shown this season.

In the mixed doubles Miss Petchel, an English girl, and Charlie Aeschliman, the Swiss champion, beat Miss Slaney and Lord Cholmondeley, 6—3, 6—4, in the semi-finals. Mrs. Satterthwaite, English star, defeated Miss Thompson, another English player, 6—0, 6—0, in the singles, and, partnered with Brugnon, Mrs. Satterthwaite beat Miss Petchel and Aeschliman, 6—2, 6—3, in the finals of the mixed doubles.

Lookabaugh, Kenny Win in Three Cushion Games

Len Kennedy and Earl Lookabaugh won interstate Three Cushion Billiard league games yesterday. Kenney who represents the Kleckhefer Recreation room and who leads the circuit defeated Morgan Hughes, 42 to 31, in 46 innings at the Gold Coast room, while Lookabaugh trounced Allen Hall of Mussey's, 45 to 35, in 43 sessions at Mussey's Madison street parlor.

PHIL ROSENBERG REFUSES TO BOX GRAHAM JAN. 7

Faces Suspension in New York.

New York, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Charley Phil Rosenberg of New York, recognized as the world's bantamweight champion outside of Illinois, today announced his refusal to go through with a championship match with Bushy Graham of Utica, N. Y., at Madison Square Garden Jan. 7, after failing to get the state athletic commission's sanction for a postponement.

CHARLEY ROSENBERG.

Rosenberg desired to put the fight off a month, but the boxing solons, who reinstated the champion only on condition that he meet Graham, ruled against it. They have summoned the titleholder to next Tuesday's meeting and may put him back on the ineligible list.

May Be Outlawed.

Rosenberg already is under suspension in Illinois and New Jersey and in ill favor with the National Boxing association. If suspended here again, he automatically will be outlawed in other states which have working agreements with the New York commission.

With the Graham-Rosenberg tilt off indefinitely, Jess McMahon, Garden matchmaker, obtained the commission's permission to use the date for a bout between Tod Morgan, junior lightweight champion, and Phil McGraw of Detroit. Morgan's title will not be at stake, as the men will meet at catch weights.

Berlenbach Bout Jan. 28.

The commission instructed McMahon to go ahead with a welterweight elimination tournament, stipulating that Eddie Roberts of Tacoma, Wash., be matched with Willie Harmon of New York. It had been McMahon's plan to pit Roberts against Joe Dundee of Baltimore in a return match. Roberts knocked out Dundee in one round at San Francisco recently.

The Paul Berlenbach-Mike McTigue match has been fixed for Jan. 28.

Leo Daley Named Football Coach at Boston College

Newton, Mass., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Leo Daley, Boston college, '16, a teacher and coach at the Boston English High school, today signed a contract for one year as head coach of football at Boston college. He succeeds Major Frank Cavanaugh, resigned.

BREADON CARD? 'ACE OF CHUMPS,' WRITES CRITIC

Fans Suggest Rope for Trading Hornsby.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Sam Breadon, president of the St. Louis Cardinals, said today he believed he was the most unpopular man in St. Louis last Tuesday, just after he had announced the trade of Manager Rogers Hornsby to the New York Giants, but now, he added, the wrath of the fans seems to be subsiding.

FRANKIE FRISCH.

Three irate fans leaped on the running board of Mrs. Breadon's automobile last Tuesday night and shouted reproaches at her until a policeman appeared.

Tie Crepe on Door

"Aside from that incident and the fact that someone tied crepe on my office door and several dozen have written me anonymous letters, we have not been troubled," Breadon said. "As my friends telephoned expressions of confidence and wrote me letters I revised my early percentages. I think it is about 50-50 now. If a hundred fans yelled 'Hang him,' another hundred would yell, 'Oh, let the poor sap live. Give him another chance.' Public opinion is a fickle thing. You know, I've even heard them razz Hornsby."

Breadon pointed to two piles of letters on his desk.

"I like the ones on the right," he remarked. "They're favorable. I shall answer them with thanks. The ones on the left are so hot they're funny."

Suggest Tar and Feathers

One of the critics wrote to Breadon: "You are not a Card, you are the ace of chumps." Another suggested the club president should be tarred and feathered.

"If Hornsby burns up the league and Frisch breaks a leg and Ring has a bad year, I'll catch it," Breadon commented. "They'll razz me to a fare-you-well. However, if Hornsby slips, as he gave evidences of doing last season, and Frisch and Ring play real ball and I get a manager who will keep us right up there in the fight, fans will say, 'Well, Sam Breadon knew his ivory, after all.' It's just a gamble. Time will tell, and if time doesn't, the bleachers will.

"Just now I only want to wish all fans a happy Christmas."

250 TO RACE IN ICE DERBY AT WINNEMAC PARK

The first ice skating Derby of the season will be held tomorrow afternoon at Winnemac park under the auspices of the Robey-Lawrence business men's association. An entry list of 250, which includes most of the city's leading skaters, has been named to compete in the program of ten events.

The meet has the sanction of the Western Skating association and the points scored in the events will count in the final selection of the skaters who will represent the middle west in the national events to be staged in the east.

Edward Mahlke and Walter Stephen will be referees and Frank Kalteux starter.

Church A. A. Cage League Cards Three Tilts Monday

Three games will be played in the Church Athletic association basketball league Monday night at the various church gyms in the circuit. In the feature encounter Humboldt Evangelical will engage Grace Evangelical at the Ravenswood Evangelical gym, Pensacola and Hoyne avenues. Two other games will precede the major affair. Bowmanville Congregational will battle the Moody church five and Grace English Lutheran will oppose the Endeavor Presbyterian quintet. The first game will start at 7:30.

N. Y. Fans Think Speaker, Cobb Deserve New Hearing

BY WESTBROOK PEGLER.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—New York has contributed only a meager two cents' worth to the current baseball scandal, for the only phase of the matter that was revealed here was John McGraw's desire to engage Ty Cobb as a sort of safety man for the Giants and Judge Landis' admonition to him to "lay off Cobb."

However, the performers and addits of professional sport are inveterate gossips and the present situation is just as enjoyable in its sweet, sad way as though it had occurred here. The tenor of the gossip is that Speaker, at least, and perhaps Ty Cobb, too, could lick Judge Landis in a showdown on the evidence thus far revealed if they were to fight the matter through.

Cozy Dolan, who used to give his versatile services to the Giants as chaperon for the inebriates on the team, coach and keyhole sleuth, once threatened to have the law on Landis, but didn't, and his name is as badly soiled today as it was the hour that Landis denounced him as an improper character.

In an issue of veracity between Rube Benton and Charlie Herzog the judge managed to play one man against the other, and, although Herzog flamed with wrath and his virtue cried for vindication, the matter never was finally and flatly decided. Thus far all ball players accused, either directly or by implication, as in the cases of Speaker, Cobb, and Joe Wood, merely have hung around their favorite cigar stores crying "Out! out! damned spot,' which is no way to get rid of a spot and a fortunate thing for the dry cleaning and legal profession.

A piece in the papers from Washington reports that half a dozen members of the United States senate, friends of Cobb, discredit the discredit cast upon him and advise him to go a-lawing against Landis and the baseball industry. The same advice is advanced here and furthermore it seems to be the general opinion that the evidence should be heard by a committee or jury of baseball people rather than by a magistrate who already has convicted the men by implication on evidence which is not popularly accepted as convincing.

If Cobb and Speaker should set up a yowl for a rehearing, they probably would get it, for the wash of public sentiment seems to be all in their favor and the baseball business would not be allowed to write "appeal denied." It is a strange thing, however, that in all their protests and pleas for suspense of judgment thus far voiced, neither man has come through with a demand for a public hearing, couched in language that the judge would have to answer. They have stood on their reputations and have pointed to the esteem in which they are held by press and pulpit, but neither of them yet has sent a note to Landis saying: "I demand an open trial on the evidence."

The rules of baseball jurisprudence are something like the rules of a street fight, which is to say that anything goes. Unlike the public courts, in which a man either must be convicted or acquitted, the baseball court can convict a ballplayer and inflict considerable damage to his reputation merely by declining to exonerate him.

One further thing that might as well be settled if and when the angry ball players win their hearing, is the question of how much Dutch Leonard received for the correspondence on which the whole case rests. Cobb says the price was $20,000, and although the amount paid for the evidence would have no effect on its authenticity, there is no reason why the baseball industry, which purports to be absolutely honest with the customers, should keep the matter secret.

The question of whether or not a ball game played seven years ago was a song and dance instead of an earnest ball game arouses no excitement here, and it is surprising to find Landis and the American league worked into a lather of righteousness about it. It is not necessary to go back seven years to find ball games that were obvious pranks. And, for a notorious example, there was a game in Boston when the Washington Senators were closing their 1924 season in which Nick Altrock went to bat for the first time in fifteen years and created a scandalous scene by hitting a home run.

It would seem that any bookmaker who would write business on the last ball game of any season were in need of a guardian, and if a bookmaker did write some business on the final game between the Tigers and Indians in 1919, the athletes probably performed a public service in taking his money.

New Major League Seeks Stadium in Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Baseball's proposed third major league, whispered about confidentially some months ago but shouted from the housetops since the Cobb-Speaker case, is to have its Pittsburgh home in the new two million dollar University of Pittsburgh stadium, if present plans materialize.

This was revealed here tonight by a member of the board of trustees of the university, and definite acceptance of the plan broached by a nationally known New York banker is being held in abeyance until a full meeting of the board is held after the holidays.

According to the trustee tonight, the Pitt authorities were approached several weeks ago by a reputable sportsman from New York, who intimated that the Pitt stadium had been suggested by Tex Rickard for the new league, Tex being intimately acquainted with the layout here by investigation of the project at the time the Dempsey-Tunney bout was up in the air. Then came two visits from the bankers, who submitted three propositions.

Offer to Purchase Stadium.

One was the outright purchase of the stadium and property, an estimated outlay of more than three million dollars. The second was a long term lease on the property for the exclusive use of baseball. The third was for a long term lease during the baseball months, giving Pitt the privilege of using the grounds for track events during convenient summer months and for football after the close of the baseball season.

The negotiations were carried on with utmost secrecy, as the banker stated "major league baseball is watching our movements closely." But recent developments now have made it possible for the trustee to discuss the matter publicly.

"Negotiations began almost a month ago," stated the Pitt trustee. "I am not much of a baseball man, but I know that the day the Speaker-Cobb case broke, the New York banker was here conferring with me. From a strictly business viewpoint I can see no harm in Pitt entering into the proposition. It offers the university a chance to keep the stadium busy throughout the year as well as bring in a great revenue."

Seating Capacity 68,000.

The stadium, opened in the fall of 1925, seats 68,000. It is within five minutes' walk of Forbes field, where the Pirates play.

Boland Denies That He Gave McInnis Hits

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Bernie Boland, Detroit pitcher against Cleveland in the "scandal" game of 1919, today retracted the statement attributed to him that he gave "Stuffy" McInnis hits because the latter pleaded for them to boost his batting average.

"Stuffy is one of my best friends and I would say nothing to cause hard feelings. I pitched as hard against him as against any one else," Boland said today.

"What I said, or at least what I intended to say was this: Toward the tag end of the season when games won or lost mean nothing in the final standings, most pitchers refrain from bearing down as they do in mid-season, so as to give the batters a chance to boost their batting average. I did not say that I deliberately gave McInnis or any one else 'free hits.' In other words, I pitched to win."

WANT CHARGES AIRED BEFORE BASEBALL JURY

Watson, Harris Tell Faith in Players.

Developments in the Cobb-Speaker baseball imbroglio yesterday centered about three major points.

1 From Washington came the report that members of the United States senate, doubting the truth of the charges against the two idols of baseball, might call on Commissioner K. M. Landis to give the accused men a trial before a baseball jury.

2 Augusta, Ga., arose en masse to proclaim its faith in the integrity of its favorite son, Tyrus Raymond Cobb. Fans publicly suggested he be nominated for mayor, and Ty called on Landis for vindication.

3 Commissioner Landis, President Ban Johnson of the American league and other baseball notables said nothing.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—Possibility that the latest baseball scandal may be given at least a verbal airing in the senate when it meets after holidays developed today.

This became apparent when several baseball fans in the senate informally expressed the hope that the charges against Ty Cobb and Tris Speaker would be aired thoroughly before a baseball jury. Should this newspaper appeal to Judge Landis fail to bear fruit the baseball commissioner is certain to be lambasted verbally by some members of the senate.

SENATOR JAMES E. WATSON.

All senators who discussed the case for publication were unanimous in asserting their disbelief of the charges against Cobb and Speaker.

"Don't Believe It." Watson.

"I do not believe the charges against Cobb and Speaker," Senator Watson [Rep., Ind.], said at his home tonight. "I regard it almost as a calamity that the matter was made public at this time."

Senator William J. Harris [Dem., Ga.], was equally certain of the innocence of the two stars.

"Cobb and Speaker should be given a trial before a baseball jury of fair minded men," Senator Harris said. "I do not think the country will be satisfied until the matter is thoroughly cleaned up. The public wants all the facts."

COBB ASKS VERDICT

Augusta, Ga., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Declaring that both he and Tris Speaker "are absolutely vindicated by the evidence" presented in support of charges linking their names with a plan to fix a baseball game, Ty Cobb in a statement tonight asked for a formal "verdict" from Commissioner Landis clearing them.

Denying reports that he had requested baseball's high commissioner to grant a rehearing of the accusations brought by "Dutch" Leonard, the former Detroit manager said:

"I do not want a rehearing. What I want is a verdict from Commissioner Landis. Both Speaker and myself are absolutely vindicated by the evidence, and what we want is a verdict from Commissioner Landis through the press."

Cobb explained that both he and Speaker had asked Commissioner Landis for a public acquittal of the charges when they presented testimony in the case, adding that "I naturally expected a verdict would be forthcoming."

The old home town, where a score or more years ago Tyrus Raymond Cobb began his professional baseball career, today pledged its faith to its famous diamond son as he stood in the shadow of baseball's latest "scandal."

It was Augusta's Christmas greeting—an impressive testimonial meeting—to "Ty."

Gathered about the historic confederate monument on Broad street were leaders in the life of city and state and just the plain "boys" who knew and loved him on the baseball field and in business life.

Declines Mayoral Nomination.

Cobb, standing at the foot of the monument, which was draped in American flags, told the gathering of some 800 persons that he was sad and happy both on this occasion.

A minute later, when he was proposed amid cheers for mayor of the city, he said, with a noticeable show of emotion, "Boys, I'm a baseball player, not a politician."

L. S. Arrington, president of the chamber of commerce, was the speaker who placed Cobb's name before the crowd for mayor and the response was hearty.

Mrs. Cobb and her children were sitting near the former Detroit manager and looked toward him smilingly.

"Let me tell you," Cobb said in his brief talk of appreciation, "I intend to clear myself of these charges before I'm through."

His voice was firm. He added:

"And let me say that Tris Speaker

is just as innocent as I. There was never a cleaner or more honest player than Speaker."

Three bands furnished music between speeches. Members of the city police and fire departments were there en masse.

Banners bearing such inscriptions as "Ty is still our idol and the idol of America" had been placed so as to face the player when he spoke. Judge William H. Barrett of the United States District court, Mayor William P. White, and Judge A. L. Franklin of the Richmond county Superior court told of the "respect and confidence borne Cobb by Augusta."

SCANDAL FUEL SCARCE

Unless another bad boy pops up from an unexpected source and starts throwing mud at baseball's silk hat, the Cobb-Speaker scandal, in so far as the dignitaries are concerned, will die for the want of nourishment.

Although the fans of the nation are sort of snickering over the flimsy evidence so far unearthed against the two stars and although the same fans have asked for more damaging evidence before they will consent to become serious, the baseball notables have pulled their hats down over their ears and taken a dive into the cyclone cellar to wait the abatement of the storm.

Ban Johnson, American league president, continued in a non-speaking rôle yesterday. Commissioner K. M. Landis was out doing a good job of spending some of his $65,000 salary and the American league directors, who had the so called scandalous evidence before it was turned over to Landis, refused to come out and say whether or not they had previously agreed that Landis should make known all the details in the unpleasantness. So far nobody has stepped up and told just how the junior major got together with Landis on the matter, but the exact happenings will be recorded publicly in due time.

Genuine Again Wins at N. O.; Steinhart Up

New Orleans, La., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Genuine, the three year old chestnut colt from the stable of F. Barlow, put another winning race behind him today when he triumphed in the fourth race at Jefferson Park. Carrying 121 pounds, the Sir Martin colt, ridden by Jockey Steinhart, made the pace all of the distance and finished the five and a half furlong journey a full length in front of Superfrank. The time for the distance was 1:06 4-5.

The Ocean Springs handicap, for two-year olds, which featured the card, went to J. S. Taylor's brown colt, Scotland, over the six furlong route. Scotland showed more staying power than usual, rushed into an early lead after getting off sixth in a field of eight, forced the pace and led Juggler home by a length and a half. Medley came with a rush in the stretch and took third money by a length from Peter Peter.

Munn to Train in Chicago for Lewis Match

Wayne ["Big"] Munn, former Nebraska football star, will arrive in Chicago Monday to enter the final week of strenuous training for his heavyweight championship wrestling match with Ed [Strangler] Lewis at the Coliseum on Jan. 3.

In the first meeting between the pair, Munn, fresh from the college gridiron, tossed Lewis from the ring with such force that the champion was unable to continue. Despite this victory, the giant Nebraskan never was officially recognized as champion. Later he met Lewis several times, the Strangler winning each match after a hard struggle.

Starts New Fight.

Last summer Munn determined on a campaign toward another title bout with Lewis. He started by having his tonsils removed. Then he spent the summer months working on a farm in Nebraska.

Since returning to the ring early in the fall Munn has been tossing the best heavyweight grapplers in the country with regularity. In his last appearance in Chicago Munn defeated Stanley Stasiak in straight falls. His chief offensive weapon still is the half nelson and crotch hold.

Lewis Trains Outdoors.

Lewis is doing his training in the Wisconsin woods. He relies on hunting, hiking, ice skating, and skiing to build up his endurance. He will reach Chicago late next week to wind up preparation at a loop gymnasium.

News from the Race Tracks

TIA JUANA RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs:

Canny Lady, 102 [Winters]	9.80	3.20	2.40
Scottish Lad, 108 [Gotrup]		2.40	2.20
Chief Sponsor, 110 [Baker]			2.20

Time, 1:04 1-5. Dan Hogan, Miss Omond, Saw Day, First Pullet, Ben, and Esther Clark ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs:

Innome, 105 [Dalton]	6.20	3.60	2.60
Faithful Girl, 106 [Hiser]		10.40	5.40
Billy D., 120 [Petsold]			3.00

Time, 1:04 3-5. Mary Kinkead, Chet, Elmirasol, Forty Two, and Dew Bank ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, mile and 70 yards:

Fight, 105 [Robertson]	26.60	9.00	7.00
Pesimon, 108 [Hiser]		14.80	9.00
Full O'Fun, 110 [DeFord]			5.80

Time, 1:52. Roller, Hardman, Lady Choco, Aristotle, and Nancy Winet ran.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, clubhouse course:

Mat. Idol, 105 [Mazoue]	33.80	12.00	5.40
Jay Roberts, 110 [West]		21.60	6.80
Bank Jr., 105 [Gotierup]			3.60

Time, 1:23 1-5. The Franciscan, Fehrah, Doc McMahon, Irish Brigadier, and Common Gold ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $800, 4½ furlongs, 2 year olds:

Somers Heir, 110 [Craigmyle]	18.80	6.00	2.60
Tetra Gitan, 116 [Bourassa]		10.00	4.20
Prisoner, 116 [Tapia]			2.60

Time, :57. First Dance, Sun Affinity, Gum Boots, Conquistador and Worthwhile ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $900, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Modo, 99 [Cooper]	177.80	21.40	6.40
Frances Rock, 109 [Barr]		4.00	2.80
Excander, 112 [Baker]			3.40

Time, 1:16 1-5. Neli Maxim, Rosamond and Island Fairy ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs:

Fullpoint, 112 [Jones]	3.60	3.00	2.80
Strol'er, 112 [Baker]		2.80	2.60
Edmon, 104 [Willingham]			4.60

Time, 1:04 2-5. Queen Anna Maria, Bonnie Lizzie, Cap and Gown, and Boomerang ran.

EIGHTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Conclusive, 112 [Mantz]	13.60	6.80	3.80
Belle Lafitte, 110 [Peterse]		4.60	3.20
Miss Ida Brown, 112 [Dalton]			4.00

Time, 1:17. Lady Berrildon, Seclusion, Emma Rose and, Kitty B., Miss Emmert and Belle of Milton ran.

NEW ORLEANS RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Cliff, 100 [Crowell]	20.20	7.40	4.00
Spray, 108 [Casimero]		5.60	3.20
Col. Schooler, 103 [Leuch]			3.20

Time, 1:14 3-5. Dr. Hickman, Clem Thesen, Stonage, Realist, Sweet Money, Loyal H., Colors, Cheating Cheaters and Royal Kiss ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $1,000, 2 year olds, maidens, 5½ furlongs:

Miss Mira, 115 [Mora]	5.00	3.40	3.80
T. Le Breton, 115 [J. Hurd]		14.40	8.60
Bride's Cup, 115 [Canfield]			5.60

Time, 1:08 4-5. Wag Grail, Faithful Friend, Sun Up, Boot's Last, Indian Spirit, Eva M. and Emile Awhile ran.

THIRD RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1 3-16 miles:

J. Maurice, 107 [Workman]	5.20	3.20	2.80
Drewer Waters, 107 [Cooper]		7.40	5.00
Taylor Hay, 107 [DuBois]			8.40

Time, 2:03 4-5. Doughboygan, West Point, Rockses, Revellion, Van Patrick, Mystic, Fannie, Famous Blue and Frances Jane ran.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $1,000, claiming, all ages, 5½ furlongs:

Genuine, 121 [Steinhart]	3.40	2.60	2.20
Superfrank, 114 [Crump]		18.20	5.40
Delano, 121 [W. Garner]			3.00

Time, 1:06 3-5. Gad, Forward Pass and Pat Calhoun ran.

FIFTH RACE—Handicap, purse $1,200, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:

Scotland, 118 [W. Garner]	7.40	6.60	7.00
Yeggier, 100 [Lynch]		50.00	15.00
Medley, 106 [E. Johnson]			7.00

Time, 1:14 2-5. Peter Pevler, Henry Somers, Crack Indian, Comrade and Thrace ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $1,000, all ages, allowances, 1 mile:

Edyd Gray, 108 [J. Smith]	13.00	6.60	5.00
Co. Board, 112 [W. Garner]		5.20	3.80
Sagacefull, 105 [G. Joyner]			3.40

Time, 1:40 4-5. Buttress, Peacemaker, Canister, Glenning, Overdraft and Drone ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $1,000, 3 year olds and up, claiming, 1 1-16 miles:

Billy Mills, 103 [Craver]	28.80	10.80	5.40
Delhi Boy, 115 [W. Garner]		5.20	3.60
Donvar Bond, 107 [M'Kinzy]			4.00

Time, 1:47 3-5. Kiss O'Neil II., Olympic, Lever, Optimist, Lawless and Gratiuer ran.

TIA JUANA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE, purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5 furlongs—Virginia More, 110; Stardale, 107; Jack Broadwater, 110; Phil McCloy, 111; Big Wig, 110; Yander, 107; Jimmy Boy, 118; Cora, 110; Nan McKinney, 110; Kaywin, 110; Mistress Power, 110; Bucca, 107; Lincome, 113; Cheerful, 116; Dry Joe, 107; My Friend Pat, 110; Hypnotic, 110; Rumpresprve, 107; Scottish Lad, 112; Virginia Hedwig, 107; Scottish Lad, 112. 1-by entry.

SECOND RACE, purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs—Apollo, 108; Silton Boston, 104; Reggie, 107; Dangerous Lad, 108; Shasta Rock, 114; Silver Strand, 109; Chief, 112; Combo, 115.

THIRD RACE, purse $800, claiming, all ages, 5½ furlongs—Asauh 64; Weatherwaxen 98; Georgiana H. Johnston, 110; Cross Bow, 110; Sheets Rapids, 110; Tallyman, 110; Canny Lady, 103; Our Sash, 110; Dewey, 107; Senator Crow, 107; Ethel Brown, 107; Lampo, 110; Ike Harver, 113.

FOURTH RACE, purse $800, claiming, club-house course, 3 year olds and up—Wee Girl, 107; Valor, 107; *James B. Brown, 110; Mar Bunch, 112; Mulciber, 112; Wrangler, 113; *Smart City, 103; *Wonderlight, 107; ‡Season entry; ‡Kilauea, 110; *Koala, 107; Royal Oak, 113.

FIFTH RACE, purse $1,000, 3 year olds and up, 7 furlongs—‡America, Son, 113; Bonnie Bunch, 112; ‡Elector, 112; ‡Tamarind, 110; ‡Pa, 118; Bookbinder, 100; Paavo, 118; *Rolls Royce, 117; Pegasus, 115; Firm Friend, 100; Deep Thought, 111; ‡La Brae entry; ‡Drummer, 107; ‡Season entry.

SIXTH RACE, purse $1,000, claiming, handicap, 3 year olds and up, mile and 70 yards—Sweeper Stakes, 115; Hyrd's Prince, 108; Begonia, 104; Sandclip, 108; Cross Bow, 99; Trapmint, 103; Jack Fairman, 94; Royal Princess, 97; Cup Bearer, 112; Frank Gailor, 105; The World, 112; Booze Beyer, 107.

SEVENTH RACE, purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 7 furlongs—*Cadmus, 100; Ormesvale, 111; Snow Cap, 106; *Pad, 104; Prince Louis, 114; *Melachrino, 110; Alisie, 97; *The Falconer, 107; *Elcid, 100; Vicis Burton, 114; *Scotland For, 107; Detective Dick, 112; Sister Josefa, 112; *My Daddy, 104; Porpina, 107; *The Cossack, 103.

EIGHTH RACE, purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 5½ furlongs—*Codfield, 100; *Bob Roy, 101; *Sunny Maid, 101; *Highhood, 104; *Follow Me, 105; Rock Bottom, 102; Remnant, 104; *Queen Anna Marie, 101; *Hilarity, 105; *Kaiko, 100; Lahonton, 111; Rey Schee, 106; *Stardust, 103; Queen Catherine, 111; Down Town, 108.

Weather clear; track heavy. *Apprentice allowance claimed.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE, purse $1,000, claiming, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs—Tempter, 111; Red Grange, 106; *Violet Betty, 100; *Miss Reivue, 100; Alikhan, 108; Lady Marie, 109; Torrence, 105; Pop Bell, 108; *Ben Amar, 103; *Lanky Gunner, 103; Mayberry, 108; Broomoney, 108; Chappie, 111; Blue Pine, 105; Mercedes E., 108.

SECOND RACE, purse $1,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs—Finish, 106; *Eastline, 110; Dawson, 112; Pulsator, 115; *Red Pennant, 110; Lord Martin, 115; Kensington Lad, 108; *George Groom, 110; Genial Host, 108; The Vintner, 118; Sunspark, 112; Quince Garden, 115; *Grand Bay, 110; Everglade, 112; Steinway, 103; Chappie, 104.

THIRD RACE, purse $1,000, 3 year olds and up, 1¼ miles—Sleepyhead, 106; *Blowhorn, 109; *Book, 103; *Chief Tierney, 106; *Longchamps, 108; Green Blazes, 105; *Spandor, 106.

FOURTH RACE, purse $1,200, all ages, 6 furlongs—Shark, 104; ‡Blue Pencil, 103; David L., 110; Arcady, 119; ‡Broadway Jones, 122; Stampede, 109; Bulletin, 114. ‡Idle Hour Farm entry.

FIFTH RACE, purse $1,500, all ages, 1 1-16 miles—Overall, 109; Dugteller, 112; Cocoon, 99; Blackhead, 96; Arabian, 101; Smiling Gus, 107; ‡Benedictent, 105; ‡Maselfan, 103; Florence Mills, 100; Fakir, 104; ‡George De War, 106; Lancaster, 101; Ropeseat, 111; Scotland, 98; ‡Broadway Jones, 122; Prison, 108; Silver Spray, 108; Contemplate, 100; Corsoant, 103; Old Slip, 116. ‡C. E. Durnell entry. ‡Idle Hour entry.

SIXTH RACE, purse $1,000, claiming, all ages, 1 mile—Cockney, 114; *Petco, 111; *Ender, 106; *Blackhead, 109; *Sparkling Water, 97; Opperman, 113; *Arabian, 107; Ballot Brush, 110; *Uncle Parks, 103; Treswell, 110; Little Dave, 108; *O'Girl, 94; Golden Billows, 106.

SEVENTH RACE, purse $1,000, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1⅛ miles—Yes Ball, 103; Alopex, 111; *Mysterious, 105; *Tick Tock, 108; Marcus, 111; Cliquot, 116. *Apprentice allowance claimed. Weather clear; track good.

DAILY RACING FORM SELECTIONS' CONSENSUS

NEW ORLEANS.

1—Red Grange, Tempter, Violet Betty, Pop Bell.
2—The Vintner, Rartime, Gad, Lord Martin.
3—SPANDOR, Bosh, Longchamps, Chief Tierney.
4—Arcady, Broadway Jones, Bulletin, David L.
5—Broadway Jones, Cudgeller, Hopeless, Silver Song.
6—Opperman, Polvo, Endor, Golden Billows.
7—Alopex, Clique, Marsdale, Tea Ball.

TIA JUANA.

1—Runpreserve, Bill McCloy, Vanderburg, Kadonga.
2—Shasta Rock, Normile, Joste Hartman, Roper.
3—Shasta Rapids, Ask John, Assault, Senator Crow.
4—James B. Brown, Mulciber, Valor, Kilauea.
5—Bonnie Omar, Paavo, Tamarind, Bells Royce.
6—The World, Sweepstakes, Trapmint, Herod's Pride.
7—The Corsair, Scotland Forever, Viola, Burton, Ormesvale.
8—DOWN TOWN, Lahonton, Hilarity, Queen Anna Marie.

Bob's Yule Tree Stirs Memories of Camping Trip

BY BOB BECKER.

Although the Christmas tree which dominates the home at this time of year is primarily for the use of Santa Claus, it serves as a pretty good messenger from the north woods to remind thousands of outdoorsmen of vacation lands, fishing, hunting, and cheery camp fires.

This thought struck home last night as we inhaled the rich fragrance of a small spruce that was broadcasting some northwoods call letters which spelled bass fishing, canoe trips, broiled trout, portage trails, and other summer season features which lure an army of outdoor fans into the north country each season. There was plenty of interference from tinsel, glittering ornaments, and red candy canes to block these calls from the home of the Christmas tree, but they came through just the same.

Portage trails in the land of Christmas trees are covered with snow. Camp sites on which tents and cooking fires were located six months ago are obliterated at this season. Fishing holes are frozen over, but if you'll listen to the message which your Christmas tree brings down from the northland, you will begin to get ready for next summer's fun.

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Blackhawks and Cougars Clash Tonight

BY FRANK SCHREIBER.

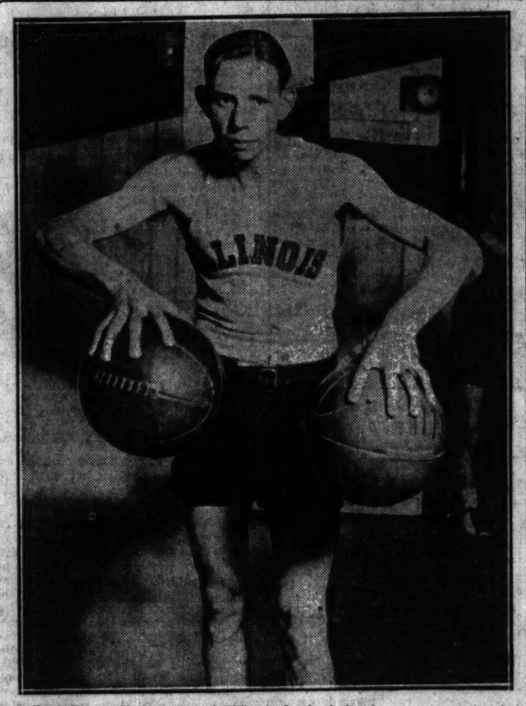
Detroit's Cougars will make their second appearance of the season on the Coliseum rink tonight when they battle the Blackhawks in a National Hockey league match. In their last meeting, the Cougars trimmed the Hawks, 1 to 0, but since that time the Chicago team has climbed in the league standing, while the Cougars have met with reverses.

Detroit has two Icelanders on its team. As youths these boys went to Winnipeg, where they picked up the hockey sport, and have played many years with great success. In Freddy Frederickson, the Cougars have one of the best forwards in the league, while Slim Halderson, the other Icelander, is ranked as a star on defense. Halderson and Frederickson have been together in many campaigns and have several plays worked up for offensive attacks.

The management of the Blackhawks will be host to a large party of disabled war veterans from the Maywood hospital at tonight's contest. The men will occupy rink side boxes and will be supplied with food and cigarettes during the match. Through Maj. Frederic McLaughlin, president of the Blackhawks, the veterans will be taken to and from the match in a special bus.

Following the professional match the Chicago Yacht club and Midway A. C. amateur teams will clash in a Chicago Senior Amateur league game.

WHEN STICKY FINGERS COUNT



Earl Drew, University of Illinois basketball player, who defies law of gravitation by holding a ball in each hand. The coaches believe he is the only man in the country able to perform the feat.
[Pacific and Atlantic Photo.]

MARQUETTE TILT HEADLINES K. C. CARD TOMORROW

Several interesting games are listed for decision in the Knights of Columbus Basketball league tomorrow. One of the standout contests will be the meeting between Marquette and University at Broadway armory. Marquette hasn't been beaten this season, but University is one team that might break Marquette's streak.

Other attractive matches listed will bring together Setters and Damen at the 132d Regiment armory, Calumet and Peres at the Seventh Regiment armory, Father O'Connor and Hughes at the 131st Regiment armory, and Santa Maria and Sherman at Morton High school.

LINDBLOM ENTERS STREATOR, ILL., BASKET TOURNEY

Streator, Ill., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Eight of the leading prep teams of Illinois—Lindblom of Chicago, Bloomington, Normal, Peoria, Batavia, Champaign, La Salle and Streator, and Gary of Indiana—will participate in the annual basketball tournament under the auspices of the Streator High school Wednesday and Thursday. Silver trophies will be awarded to the winning teams. The competition promises to be keen. All of the competing teams will be accompanied by a delegation of rooters, and preparations are under way to entertain a large number of visitors.

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Yuletide Fails to Halt Boxers' Training Work

Christmas will bring no holiday today to the boxers who clash in the three ten round feature bouts of the ring card at the Coliseum North Hall Tuesday. Midget Smith and Ray Rychell, who meet in one ten rounder, have scheduled a holiday program consisting of six rounds of boxing in addition to their regular gymnasium work. The other fighters on the card also will take a short whirl at boxing and road work.

The Smith-Rychell encounter is stirring the fans who have watched the boys step through their training stunts. This pair of bantams met last spring at East Chicago, Rychell carrying off the decision after Smith had dropped him for a nine count in the first round.

That knockdown is the darkest spot on Rychell's record and the stockyards boy is determined to gain revenge. Smith, a dangerous right hand puncher, is equally certain he can put Ray down for the count.

Henry Lenard and Joey Clein, who meet in another ten round battle, rapidly are nearing fighting trim. Lenard will confine his work today to a jaunt on the road. He still is overweight and must remove several pounds before weighing in time Tuesday.

The third ten rounder, which will feature Harry Forbes and Earl McArthur, Sioux City bantamweight, has the railbirds guessing, but most predict a knockout, as both men are hard right hand hitters. McArthur toppled Pete Sarmiento for a short count in a recent fight.

Norman Wilson will meet Bill Hall for six rounds and Willie Hines will face Jack McCoy for four sessions in the preliminary bouts.

Bloomington Preps Elect Rubush 1927 Grid Pilot

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Walton Rubush, star center on the Bloomington High school football team for the last three seasons, has been honored with the captaincy of the 1927 team. He is regarded as the leading center of the "Big Twelve" prep conference and has been prominent in all departments of sports.

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Two basketball leagues for young men members of the Central Y. M. C. A. are in the process of organization and play will begin early next month. One league will represent industrial firms of the loop and the other the various gymnasium classes of the Y.

The league representing The First National bank, Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Marsh & McLennan Insurance company, and one other organization will get under way Jan. 10. The gym class league will start play Jan. 7.

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RECORD YULETIDE TRADE REPORTED BY DUN'S REVIEW

Yesterday's budget of business and industrial news was full of Christmas cheer.

The trade reviews took an optimistic view of the business situation, especially since it has been given great impetus by holiday retail sales. Dun's review remarked that the Christmas trade has probably been the largest in the aggregate on record and draws the conclusion that the public purchasing power is at a high level.

Bradstreet's was able to see some spotty conditions, stating that some centers report the best trade ever done, while others express disappointment at the volume of business. Emphasis is laid on the fact that one of the best features of the situation is that stocks in most lines are comparatively light, necessitating frequent filling in orders. Summed up, it may be said the attitude of these reviews is one of conservative optimism.

Corn Products Declares Extra.

Belated Christmas sessions of big corporation boards again were cheerful. Directors of the Corn Products Refining company declared an extra dividend of 75 cents a share in addition to the regular disbursement of 50 cents a share, quarterly. Half a year ago 25 cents extra was paid. Jeremiah Millbank was elected a director to fill a vacancy and E. E. Van Sickle was elected a vice president. An extra dividend of 15 cents a share was declared by directors of the Richfield Oil company.

Receivers of the Chicago & Alton railroad announced that gross earnings for 1926 will exceed those for 1925 by about $220,000. They reported that the class of traffic during the current year has not been as renumerative as in former years.

Manufactured Imports Increase.

Twenty per cent of all American imports in November were made up of finished manufactured goods, compared with 18 per cent in the same month a year ago. November imports of raw materials for manufacturing were 37.7 per cent of the total of imports, against 44.7 per cent a year ago, according to figures just made public by the commerce department in Washington.

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Central Power and Light.

J. D. B.—Central Power and Light company supplies one or more classes of public utility service to a group of 106 communities, having a population of about 559,420, the majority of which are located in the southern portion of Texas.

It is issuing $1,750,000 of 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock, making a total of $3,025,000 of this stock now outstanding.

This is preceded by $14,500,000 first mortgage 5 per cent bonds and followed by 95,730 shares of no par common stock.

The company's property is appraised at an amount substantially in excess of the funded debt and preferred stock.

The consolidated earnings statement of the company and subsidiaries for the year ended Oct. 31, 1926, shows gross earnings of $6,605,429 and net earnings after operating expenses, rentals, taxes and interest, but before federal taxes and depreciation were $1,766,230.

These net earnings were over 2¾ times the annual dividend requirements of the preferred stock now outstanding.

The operations of the company are controlled, through Central and South West Utilities company, by Middle West Utilities company.

This preferred stock deserves a good rating.

Brief Answers.

O. D. P., Ligonier, Ind.—Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis and Chicago railway general first 4s of 1936 are a sound investment.

V. L. H., Oshkosh, Wis.—The St. Paul Union Depot company consolidated 5s and 4s of 1944 are sound investments.

K. P. S., Tulsa, Okla.—Eastern Texas Electric company mortgage 5s of 1942 are a sound investment.

FINANCIAL NOTES

The shutdown for Christmas holidays at plants of the United States Steel corporation will reduce its average ingot production for the week to about 70 per cent of capacity. Mills have been working at 80 per cent. Resumption at a higher rate next week is considered certain. Independent companies are expected to show a rate of less than 65 per cent for the week.

The following changes in the personnel of local brokerage houses is announced, effective Jan. 1: James E. Bennett & Co. will admit to partnership Emmet G. Barker; Simeon B. Chapin Jr. will be admitted as a partner in S. B. Chapin & Co.; Julius Loeb will become a partner in the firm of Faroll Bros.

The Porto Rican American Tobacco company has completed negotiations for the acquisition of the Congress Cigar company, a New York dispatch says. The price is understood to have been $60 a share. Some bond financing is expecting, the wire says.

Possibility of a merger of Mack Trucks and White Motor company continues to offord Wall street gossip, latest rumors being that only minor details remain to be straightened out to complete the deal.

While there was no contraction of the lumber manufacturing industry last week compared with the week before, the National Lumber Manufacturers' association reports there probably has been a considerable contraction compared with a year ago. The feature of the hardwood reports is a marked decline in shipments. Unfilled orders of 224 southern pine and west coast mills were 514,707,194 feet, against 506,376,962 the week before.

IN FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Bar silver, 24⅝d per ounce; money, 4½ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 11-16 per cent; three months' bills, 4 9-16 per cent.

PARIS—(AP)—Prices were improving on the bourse today: Three per cent rentes, 53f 40c; exchange on London, 122f 37½c; 5 per cent loan, 59f 97c. The dollar was quoted at 25f 21¼c.

·NEW·YORK · STOCK · TRANSACTIONS

Friday, Dec. 24, 1926.

Total sales, shares...1,476,200 Year ago ....Holiday Total, 1926 ....450,969,800 Previous year......443,714,700

Div. pd. per share	Bid	Asked	Description—	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net chge.	Close Dec. 24, 1925
....	62¼	63	Abr & Strauss	100	62¼	62¼	62¼	....	....
....	9⅝	10⅛	Adv Rumely	200	10	9⅝	9⅝—	½	....
....	33	34	Do pfd	600	33¼	33¼	33¼	....	....
5.00	142	144	†Afr Reduction	300	142	141¼	142	....	....
....	9¼	9⅜	Ajax Rubber	3,200	9⅜	9¼	9¼	....	....
....	1⅛	1⅜	Alaska Juneau	200	1¼	1¼	1¼	....	....
4.00	143⅞	144	Allied Chem	23,300	145⅜	143⅞	143⅞—	½	114¼
6.00	89⅝	90⅞	Allis-Chal Mfg	300	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛+	⅛	93⅝
7.00	109⅝	111½	*Do pfd	100	110	110	110	....	....
2.00	31⅛	32	Amerada	900	31¼	31⅛	31⅛—	⅛	....
....	13⅛	13⅜	Am Agr Chem	400	13⅜	13¼	13⅜—	⅜	26⅝
....	48	49	Do pfd	600	48⅛	48	48⅛	....	....
3.00	55⅝	56⅛	Am B Note pf	200	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛	....	....
....	16½	17	Am Bosch	600	16⅞	16⅝	16⅝+	⅛	31½
2.00	38⅝	38⅞	Am Brn B El	500	39	38⅝	38⅝—	⅛	40⅝
2.00	52⅝	52⅞	Am Can	11,600	53⅜	52⅝	52⅝+	⅛	48
6.00	101⅛	102	Am Car & F	600	101⅜	101	101⅛+	⅛	110
7.00	128⅞	130	Do pfd	100	129⅝	129⅝	129⅝	....	....
2.00	25⅝	25⅞	Am Chain A	100	25	25	25	....	....
6.00	88	90	Am Chic pr pf	100	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛	....	....
....	9⅝	9⅝	Am Drug	500	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	....	....
6.00	131	132½	Am Express	1,000	132⅝	131	132⅝+	3¼	138⅛
....	20	20⅝	Am For Pr	5,000	20⅝	20¼	20¼—	⅛	41½
....	9	9¼	Am Hide & L	500	9	9	9+	⅛	....
....	52½	52⅞	Do pfd	400	52⅞	52	52½+	⅛	....
2.40	29	29⅛	Am Home Pr	300	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛	....	41
....	39	39⅛	Am Inter Corp	900	39⅝	39	39—	⅛	....
1.00	10⅛	10⅞	Am La France	1,100	11	10⅝	10⅝	....	15¼
....	31	32	Am Lins Oil	500	31⅛	31	31	....	....
7.00	70	73	Do pfd	100	70	70	70	....	....
8.00	109⅝	109⅝	Am Loco	300	109⅝	109⅝	109⅝+	⅝	118⅛
....	73⅛	74	Am Mch&Fdy	1,500	74⅝	73⅞	73⅞—	⅝	....
4.00	43	45⅛	Am Metals	800	42⅝	42⅛	42⅛+	⅛	53⅝
1.00	62	62⅝	Am Pr & Li	1,100	62⅝	61⅝	62	....	....
....	40	45	Am Republic	100	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛	....	....
5.00	112⅞	112⅞	Am Radiator	2,400	112⅞	110⅝	112⅞+	1⅝	115⅝
8.00	147⅝	147⅞	Am Smelting	26,800	148⅜	146⅝	147⅝+	⅝	137⅝
7.00	121	122	Do pfd	100	121⅛	121⅛	121⅛	....	....
3.00	44⅛	45	Am Stl Fdries	400	44⅝	44⅛	44⅝+	⅜	47⅛
5.00	82⅝	83	Am Sugar	200	82⅝	82⅝	82⅝—	⅛	....
....	42⅝	43	Am Sum Tob	900	42⅞	42⅝	42⅝	....	....
5.00	27	28⅛	Am Tel & Ca	100	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞—	1⅛	....
9.00	149⅝	149⅝	Am Tel & Tel	600	149⅝	149⅝	149⅝—	⅝	142⅛
8.00	122	122⅛	Am Tob	200	122	121⅛	122	....	115
6.00	110	110⅝	Do pfd	200	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝	....	106⅛
8.00	121	121⅛	Do B	700	121⅛	120⅝	121⅛+	⅛	113⅜
1.20	62⅝	63	Am Wat Wks	1,500	63⅝	63	63—	⅝	70⅝
....	33	34	Am Woolen	500	33⅝	33⅛	33⅝+	⅝	41⅛
7.00	87	88⅛	Do pfd	300	87	87	87	....	....
....	1⅛	1⅝	Am Wr Pa pfd	300	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	1⅝
3.00	49⅛	49⅛	Anaconda	800	49⅝	49	49	....	50
....	15⅛	15⅜	Arm & Co A	600	15⅝	15⅛	15⅛—	⅛	24
....	8⅛	8⅝	Do B	1,000	8⅜	8⅛	8⅜+	⅛	16⅝
7.00	92⅝	92⅝	Arm Del pfd	100	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝	....	97
3.00	41	46	Archer Dan	100	41	41	41	....	....
3.00	55⅝	56⅛	Art Lm Corp	500	56⅛	56	56	....	60⅝
7.00	112	114	Do pfd	100	113	113	113	....	....
2.50	42⅛	43	Asso Dry G	3,400	43⅛	42	42⅛—	⅝	56
7.00	170	171	Atchison	25,700	172	170	170⅛+	⅛	135⅝
5.00	101⅝	102	Do pfd	100	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝+	⅛	....
....	⅝	⅝	Atlan B & A	1,000	⅝	⅝	⅝	....	11
7.00	208	209	†Atl Coast L	1,500	209⅝	208⅛	208⅛—	⅝	266
....	18	18⅛	Do rts	100	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	....	....
....	41	41⅛	At G & W I	800	41⅝	40⅝	41⅛+	1⅛	64½
....	116	116⅛	Atl Refining	2,700	116⅛	116	116+	⅛	109⅝
7.00	116⅛	116⅝	Do pfd	600	116⅛	116⅛	116⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	166⅝	167	Baldwin Loco	16,200	167⅝	166	166⅝+	1⅝	131
6.00	107⅝	108	†Balt & Ohio	2,900	108	107⅝	107⅝	....	93
4.00	73⅛	73⅝	Do pfd	100	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝	....	67⅝
3.00	44⅝	45⅛	Bangor-Ar	100	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝	....	....
2.00	27⅝	27⅞	Barnsdall A	600	27⅞	27⅛	27⅞—	⅛	31⅝
2.00	25	25⅛	Do B	100	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	....	....
....	53	53⅛	Bayuk Cigars	600	53⅝	52⅛	53⅛	....	....
2.40	59⅝	61	*Beechnut Pk	200	59⅝	59⅝	59⅝	....	....
3.00	27⅛	27⅝	Belding Bros	400	27⅝	27⅛	27⅛—	⅛	40⅛
....	48	48⅛	Beth Steel	3,500	48⅝	48	48	....	47⅛
7.00	105⅛	106	Do 7% pfd	200	105	105	105	....	101⅝
....	7⅛	7⅛	Booth Fish	400	7⅝	7⅛	7⅛—	⅛	....
....	55⅛	55⅝	Bon Ami Co	1,100	56	55⅛	55⅝—	⅛	....
3.00	29⅝	30	Briggs Mfg	2,100	29⅞	29⅝	29⅝+	⅛	33⅝
....	1⅛	2⅛	Brit E S 2d p	100	2	2	2	....	....
8.00	155	155⅛	Brk Edison	1,400	156	152⅝	155⅝+	3⅝	134
4.00	73⅛	74⅛	Brk Man Tran	4,000	74⅝	74	74—	1⅛	58⅝
6.00	89⅛	89⅝	Do pfd	300	89⅝	89⅛	89⅝	....	....
4.00	93	94	Brk Un Gas	600	93⅝	93⅝	93⅝—	⅛	76⅝
2.00	34	35	Brown Shoe	100	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛	....	....
....	36	36⅝	Bruns B C	500	36⅛	36	36+	⅛	28
....	40	48	Buff & Sus	100	41	41	41	....	....
7.00	96⅛	100	B R & P pfd	100	101	101	101	....	....
10.00	127⅛	128	Burns Bros A	100	127⅛	127⅛	127⅛—	⅝	129
4.00	119	119⅝	Bur Add Mch	700	119	119	119—	⅛	91½
....	28	30	Bush Term	5,700	30⅝	29	30+	1⅛	23⅝
.50	4	4⅛	Butte C & Z	600	4⅛	4	4⅛+	⅛	5⅛
2.00	51	51⅛	Butterick	800	51⅝	51	51⅝—	⅛	....
4.00	70⅝	71⅛	Cal Packing	300	71⅛	71⅛	71⅛+	⅛	128⅛
2.00	31	31⅛	Cal Pet	1,000	31⅛	31	31	....	32⅛
....	1⅛	1⅜	Cal L & Z	300	1⅝	1⅛	1⅛—	⅛	2
1.50	15⅛	15⅜	Cal & Hecla	100	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝—	⅛	13⅝
2.00	36	37⅛	Can Dry Gin	600	37	36⅛	37	....	....
10.00	167	168⅛	Can Pacific	1,400	168⅛	168⅛	168⅛+	⅛	147⅛
....	152	153	Case J I	700	154	153	153+	2⅛	66
....	7⅛	7⅝	Cent Lea ctfs	500	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	....	....
....	53	53⅛	Do pfd	300	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛	....	64⅛
....	52	53	Do pfd ctfs	400	53⅛	53	53—	⅛	....
8.00	290	295	C RR N J	100	292	292	292+	2	....
....	13⅛	14	Cent Rfb M	100	14	14	14—	⅛	33
4.00	41⅛	42	Cert Prod	200	41⅝	41⅛	41⅛—	⅛	49
....	8⅛	8⅛	Chandler-Cl	200	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	....	....
2.50	22	22⅛	Do pfd	600	22	22	22—	⅛	....
8.00	164⅛	164⅛	Ches & Ohio	5,000	165	164	164⅛—	⅝	127
....	8⅛	8⅝	Chi Gt West	500	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝+	⅛	11⅝
....	25	25⅛	Do pfd	300	25⅝	25	25—	⅛	28⅝
....	8⅝	9	C M & St P	300	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝+	⅛	9⅛
....	8⅛	8⅛	Do ctfs	300	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛+	⅝	....
....	18⅛	18⅝	Do pfd	500	18⅝	18⅛	18⅛	....	19⅝
....	18	18⅛	Do pfd ctfs	2,700	18⅝	18	18⅝	....	19
5.00	125⅛	125⅝	Chi Pneu T	4,300	128⅛	126	126+	1	117
....	69⅝	70	C R I & P	700	70⅝	69⅝	69⅝—	⅝	56⅝
6.00	95	96	Do pfd B	700	95⅝	95	95⅛+	⅛	95⅛
....	4⅝	5⅛	Chi & Alton	200	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	....	....
....	4⅛	5⅛	Do ctfs	1,500	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	....	....
....	7⅛	8	Do pfd	1,200	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	....	....
....	7	....	Do pfd ctfs	1,700	7	7	7	....	....
....	45	46	C & E I pfd	700	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	....	....
4.00	81	81⅛	C & N W	1,000	81⅝	81	81—	⅝	80
2.40	49⅛	50⅛	††Childs Co	800	50⅛	49⅝	50+	1	64
2.50	34⅝	35	Chile Copper	2,000	35	34⅝	34⅝	....	35⅝
1.20	35	35⅛	Christi Brown	200	35	35	35	....	....
3.00	42⅛	42⅝	Chrysler Mot	21,300	42⅛	41⅝	42⅛+	⅛	....
8.00	102½	104½	Do pfd A	200	103⅛	103	103⅛	....	....
5.00	60⅝	60⅝	Cluett-Peab	200	61	61	61	....	....
7.00	172	173	Coca-Cola	12,000	174	168⅛	172⅛+	4⅛	150
4.00	68⅝	69	Collins Aikm	4,100	69⅛	68	68⅛—	⅝	....
7.00	136	138	Do pfd	600	138⅛	137	137⅛+	⅝	....
....	44⅛	45	Colo Fuel	600	45⅛	45	45+	⅝	37⅛
5.00	89⅛	89⅛	C G & E N	1,100	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛—	⅛	....
....	3⅛	3⅛	Do rts	4,900	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	....	....
6.00	101⅛	101⅝	Do pfd new	800	101⅝	101⅛	101⅝	....	....
1.00	18⅛	18⅛	Coml Credit	400	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛—	⅛	47⅛
6.50	86	88⅛	Do 1st pfd	400	86	86	86	....	....
3.60	57⅛	59	Com Invt Tr	100	58	58	58	....	....
6.50	92⅝	93	Do 6½% pf	100	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛+	⅛	....
8.00	231⅛	232	Coml Solv B	1,700	233⅛	230	231⅛—	1⅛	123
....	19⅛	19⅝	Congoleum	4,900	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛+	⅛	17⅛
3.00	54⅝	54⅝	Cong Cigars	6,500	55⅝	54⅝	54⅝—	⅝	....
7.00	84⅛	84⅝	Cons Cigars	1,500	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛	....	83
....	1⅛	1⅝	Cons-Distrib	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛+	⅛	3⅛
5.00	110⅛	110⅝	Consol Gas	400	110⅝	110⅛	110⅛	....	94⅛
6.00	70⅝	70⅝	C R B C pfd	200	70⅝	70⅝	70⅝	....	....
....	4	4⅛	Cons Textile	3,000	4⅛	4	4	....	3
5.00	74⅛	74⅝	Cont Can	200	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝+	⅛	90
8.00	62⅝	62⅝	Cont Bak A	1,300	62⅝	61⅝	62⅝	....	....
....	8⅛	8⅝	Do B	8,700	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛	....	....
6.00	139	140	Cont Insur	300	140	140	140—	⅝	136⅛
.80	13⅛	13⅝	Cont Mot	31,500	13⅝	13⅛	13⅝+	⅛	12
2.00	51⅛	51⅝	Corn Prod	21,500	51⅝	50⅝	51⅛	....	39⅝
4.00	57⅛	58⅛	Coty Co	600	57⅝	57⅛	57⅛	....	....
5.00	81⅛	81⅛	Crucible Stl	1,900	81⅝	81	81⅛+	⅛	50⅛
....	10	10⅛	Cuba Cane S	400	10	10	10	....	8⅝
....	47	47⅛	Do pfd	600	47⅛	47	47—	⅛	41⅛
4.00	33	33⅛	Cuba Co	800	33⅝	32⅛	32⅛—	⅛	40⅝
4.00	52⅝	53	Cudahy Pkg	800	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝—	⅛	....
3.00	103	104	Cuchmns Sons	300	104	103	104+	⅝	99
....	29⅛	29⅛	Davis Chem	600	29⅛	28⅝	29⅛+	⅛	40
9.00	175	176⅛	Del & Hud	100	175⅛	175⅛	175⅛—	⅛	149
6.00	147	148	D L & W	800	148⅛	147	147—	1	144
....	42	42⅛	DRG&W pfd	100	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛—	⅛	....
8.00	136	136⅛	Detroit Edison	100	136⅛	136⅛	136⅛+	⅛	135⅛
2.40	41⅛	41⅛	Devoe-Rayn A	100	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	....	57⅛
....	28⅛	28⅝	Dodge Br A	13,100	28⅝	28	28⅝—	⅛	42⅝
7.00	84⅝	85	Do pfd	1,000	85	84⅝	84⅝	....	87⅛
2.00	11⅛	11⅛	Dome Min	200	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	....	....
2.00	44	45	†Doug-Pec	100	45	45	45+	⅛	19⅝
7.00	178⅛	179⅝	Du Pt de N	14,300	179⅝	172⅛	178⅝+	6⅝	231
2.00	25⅛	25⅝	Eaton Axle	400	25⅝	25⅛	25⅛—	⅝	28
5.00	135⅝	136⅛	East Kodak	6,400	136⅛	134⅝	135⅝+	⅝	110⅛
....	12	12⅛	Eisenlohr Br	1,700	12	11⅛	12	....	....
6.00	64	66	El Auto Lite	200	65⅛	65⅛	65⅛+	2	....
....	15⅛	15⅛	Elec Boat	24,300	15⅛	13⅝	15⅛+	1⅛	....
....	18	18⅛	El Pw & Lt	900	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛—	⅛	29½
2.00	35⅛	35⅛	††Elec Refrig	1,700	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛+	⅛	....
5.00	81⅛	81⅝	El Stor Bat	900	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛—	⅝	72⅝
....	10⅛	11	Elkhorn Fuel	100	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	....	....
....	....	8⅛	Emers-Br A	300	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	....	....
7.00	115	117	Endicott J pfd	100	116⅛	116⅛	116⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	94	94⅝	Eng P S pfd	200	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛	....	....
....	41	41⅛	Erie	400	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	....	....
....	54⅝	54⅝	Do 1st pfd	10,300	55⅛	54⅛	54⅝+	⅝	43⅛
....	49⅝	50	Do 2d pfd	2,800	50⅛	49⅛	50+	⅝	41⅛
4.00	67⅝	67⅝	Eureka Vac	700	68	67⅛	67⅝	....	52
2.50	24⅛	24⅛	Erie St Shov	300	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛+	⅛	....
3.00	41⅛	42⅛	Fairbanks M	800	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	....	....
8.00	114	114⅛	††Fam Play	2,700	115⅛	114	114—	1	107
.80	43	43⅛	Fed Lt & Tr	1,300	43⅛	43	43⅛+	⅛	35
7.00	76⅛	77⅛	Fed M&S pfd	400	77	76	77+	1	99⅛
.80	27⅛	27⅛	Fed M Truck	200	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛	....	....
4.00	193	195	††Fid PF Ins	100	195	195	195	....	....
1.50	29	29⅛	First Nat St	500	30	29	30	....	....
....	17⅛	17⅛	Fisk Rubber	800	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	....	23⅛
7.00	80	80⅛	Do 1st pfd	700	80	79⅝	80+	⅛	....
3.00	47⅛	47⅛	†Fleisch Co	4,600	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛+	1	56⅛
8.00	76⅛	76⅛	Founda Co	800	76⅛	75⅝	76⅛+	1⅛	....
4.00	73	73⅝	Fox Film A	1,600	73⅝	73	73⅛+	⅛	84
2.00	35⅛	35⅛	Freeport Tex	5,600	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛—	⅛	19⅛
3.50	29⅝	29⅝	Gabriel Snub	100	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝—	⅛	34⅛
....	7⅝	8⅛	Gardner Mot	100	8	8	8	....	....
3.00	45⅛	46	Gen Am T Car	100	46	46	46	....	53
....	87⅝	87⅝	Gen Asphalt	17,500	87⅝	86⅛	87+	1	65⅝
5.00	129	132	Do pfd	500	131	131	131+	2⅝	....
8.00	112⅛	114	GGED 8% pf	200	113	113	113	....	....
3.00	86⅝	87	Gen Electric	5,200	87	86	86⅝	....	....
.60	11⅛	11⅝	Do spl	100	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	....	....
7.00	158⅛	158⅝	Gen Motors	166,800	158⅝	154⅝	158⅛+	3⅝	115⅛
6.00	104	....	Do 6% deb pf	200	105	104⅛	105	....	....
7.00	120⅛	121	Do 7% pfd	100	120⅛	120⅛	120⅛	....	....
4.00	55⅛	56	Gen Out Door	400	55⅝	55⅛	55⅛+	⅛	52⅛
2.00	38	38⅝	Do ctfs	1,300	38⅝	38	38⅝—	⅛	32⅛
4.00	85⅛	85⅝	Gen Ry Sig	600	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛—	⅛	71⅛
....	43⅛	44	Gimbel Bros	400	43⅝	43⅛	43⅛+	1	74⅛
7.00	104	104⅛	Do pfd	300	104	104	104	....	....
....	44⅛	45	Gold D Corp	500	44⅛	44	44⅛+	⅛	46⅛
4.00	43	43⅛	Goodrich	2,300	43⅝	43⅛	43⅛—	⅛	61⅛
7.00	99	99⅝	Goodyear pfd	400	99⅝	99	99⅝	....	....
8.00	104⅛	105⅛	Do pr pfd	100	105	105	105	....	....
2.50	60	60⅝	Gotham Hose	3,200	61⅝	59⅝	60⅛+	1⅛	40⅛
2.50	60	60⅝	Do new	700	61⅝	60⅝	61+	1⅛	....
....	33⅝	34	Granby	1,800	34	33⅛	33⅝—	⅛	20⅛
5.00	82	82⅝	Gr North pfd	1,600	82⅝	82⅛	82⅝—	⅛	79⅛
1.50	19⅝	20	Gt Nor Ore	1,000	20	19⅝	20+	⅛	26⅛
....	32⅛	33	Greene Can	2,200	33	31	33+	2⅛	12⅛
8.00	107⅝	109	Gr W Sugar	500	108⅝	108	108—	⅛	95
....	9	9⅛	Guant Sugar	200	9	9	9	....	....
....	37	37⅛	Gulf M & N	200	37	37	37	....	....
5.00	56⅝	57	Gulf St Steel	500	57	56⅝	56⅝—	⅛	94
....	30⅛	31	Hav E Ry rcts	200	30⅝	30⅛	30⅛—	⅛	....
....	24⅛	25	†Hartman B	600	25⅛	25	25—	⅛	....
....	25⅛	26⅛	Do A	500	26	26	26	....	34⅛
3.00	19⅛	20	Hayes Wheel	1,300	19⅝	18	19⅛+	1⅛	44
....	22	22⅛	Hoe & Co	300	22	22	22	....	....
3.00	42⅝	43	House Prod	100	43	43	43—	⅛	46
....	61⅛	62	Houston Oil	500	62⅛	61⅛	62+	⅝	70⅝
4.00	41	41⅛	Howe Sound	400	41	40⅝	40⅝—	⅛	27
2.50	40⅛	41	Hudson M RR	400	41⅛	40⅝	40⅝—	⅛	40⅝
3.50	50⅝	51	Hudson Mot	22,400	52	50⅝	50⅝—	⅝	110⅛
1.40	22	22⅛	Hupp Motors	1,700	22⅛	21⅝	22+	⅛	27
1.00	31	31⅛	Ind Oil & Gas	2,600	32	31⅛	31⅛—	⅛	33⅛
....	8⅛	8⅛	Indian Ref	100	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛—	⅛	12⅛
....	8	8⅛	Do ctfs	200	8	8	8	....	....
2.50	42⅝	43	Inland Steel	700	43	42⅝	43+	⅝	43⅛
2.00	25⅛	26	Inspir Cop	100	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	....	24⅛
....	50⅛	51	Int Rap Tr	5,300	51	49⅝	50⅛—	1	29⅛
....	9⅝	10	Int Agr Corp	600	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝—	⅛	19⅛
3.00	54⅛	54⅛	Int Bus Mch	400	54⅛	54⅛	54⅛	....	....
4.00	51⅛	52	Int Cement	200	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛+	⅛	67⅛
2.00	50⅝	50⅝	Int Com Eng	75,100	50⅝	46⅛	50⅛+	4⅛	65
1.00	13⅛	14	Int Con Rub	700	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	....	....
6.00	148⅛	149	*Int Harv	2,700	149⅛	145⅛	148⅛+	....	131⅛
7.00	127	128	Do pfd	300	127⅛	127⅛	127⅛+	⅛	....
3.20	65⅛	65⅝	Int Match pfd	3,000	65⅝	64⅝	65⅛+	1⅛	....
....	39	39⅛	Int Mer M pf	4,700	39⅝	38⅝	39⅝+	⅛	40⅝
2.00	37⅝	37⅝	Int Nickel	800	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝+	⅛	40⅝
2.00	57	57⅝	Int Paper	100	57⅝	57⅝	57⅝+	⅝	64⅝
7.00	98	98⅝	Do 7% pfd	100	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝+	⅛	....
6.00	126	126⅛	Int Tel & Tel	8,700	127⅛	125⅛	126—	1⅛	118⅛
....	53	53⅛	Jewel Tea	1,700	53⅛	53	53⅛—	⅛	....
....	22	22⅛	Jordan M Car	600	22⅝	21⅝	22⅛+	1⅛	46
....	42⅝	42⅝	K C Southern	700	42⅝	42⅛	42⅝—	⅛	40⅝
4.00	49⅝	50⅛	Kayser J	1,700	50⅛	49⅝	50⅛+	⅛	....
....	10⅝	11	Kelly Spgfield	100	11	11	11	....	18⅛
....	48⅝	51	Do 6% pfd	100	50	50	50+	1	....
5.00	62⅛	62⅝	Kennecott Cop	1,900	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝—	⅛	56⅛
....	⅝	⅝	Keystone Tire	100	⅝	⅝	⅝	....	2⅛
1.50	59	59⅝	Kraft Cheese	400	59⅝	59	59	....	....
1.20	55⅛	56	Kresge S S	2,300	55⅝	55	55⅛—	....	....
....	22	22⅛	Lago Oil & Tr	1,000	22⅛	21⅝	22⅛+	⅛	....
5.00	65⅛	66	Lambert Co	900	65⅝	64⅝	65⅝+	⅛	....
....	7	8	Lee R & Tire	2,000	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛—	⅛	13⅝
3.00	36⅝	36⅝	Lehn & Fink	400	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝	....	....
1.60	23	23⅛	Life Savers	200	23⅛	23	23—	....	....
3.00	99⅛	100	Lig & My B	600	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝+	⅛	86⅝
4.00	66	66⅛	Lima Loco	800	66⅛	65	66+	1	69⅝
3.60	51	52	Liquid Carb	200	51	51	51—	....	....
2.00	46	46⅛	Loew's Inc	3,900	46⅛	45⅛	46+	⅛	37⅛
....	6⅝	6⅝	Loft Candy	300	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝—	⅛	7⅛
4.00	42	42⅛	Long B Lu A	100	42	42	42—	....	....
....	166	169	Loose Wiles	100	169⅛	169⅛	169⅛+	1⅛	142⅛
....	32⅛	32⅝	†Lorillard	5,800	32⅝	31⅝	32⅛+	1	35⅛
....	16⅛	16⅛	Louisiana Oil	4,700	16⅝	16	16⅛+	⅛	19⅛
6.00	96⅝	97	Mack Truck	3,800	97⅝	96⅝	96⅝—	⅛	220
7.00	128⅛	130	Mackay Comp	100	128⅛	128⅛	128⅛	....	....
....	125	129⅝	Macy Co	200	129⅝	129⅛	129⅝+	⅝	104⅛
3.00	35⅝	35⅝	Magma Cop	100	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	....	....
....	16⅛	16⅛	Mallinson	700	16⅛	16	16—	⅛	23⅛
....	70	73	Manati Sug pf	100	73	73	73	....	....
5.00	54⅛	55⅝	Manh El Sup	1,700	56⅛	54⅝	54⅝	....	....
5.00	52⅝	53	M El gtd mod	3,000	53	52⅝	53	....	42⅛
....	19	20	Maracaibo	300	20⅛	19⅛	19⅛	....	25⅛
4.00	56⅛	56⅝	Marland Oil	8,000	57⅛	56⅝	56⅝—	⅛	58
2.00	26⅝	26⅝	Marlin Rock	200	26	26	26—	⅛	20
8.00	138	138⅛	May Dept St	400	138⅝	138⅛	138⅝—	⅛	....
2.00	23	23⅛	Maytag	100	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	....	22⅝
1.60	79⅝	81⅛	McCrory St B	500	81	79⅝	79⅝—	1⅛	120
1.00	24⅝	25	McIntire P M	100	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	....	....
....	7⅝	7⅛	Mex Seaboard	200	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝—	⅛	9⅛
1.50	16	16⅛	Miami Corper	1,100	16⅝	16⅛	16⅝+	⅛	12⅛
....	34⅛	34⅛	Mid Cont Pet	4,100	34⅝	33⅝	34⅛+	⅛	34⅛
....	1⅛	1⅛	Mid States Oil	6,000	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	1
....	1⅛	1⅝	Do ctfs	1,200	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛—	⅛	....
8.00	110	112⅛	†Midl Steel pf	100	112⅛	112⅛	112⅛+	⅛	....
2.00	33⅝	35	Miller Rubber	300	34⅝	34⅛	34⅛	....	....
....	50⅛	51	MStP&SSM pf	100	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	....	....
....	33⅛	33⅛	M K & T	500	33⅝	33	33⅛+	⅝	40⅝
6.00	95⅛	96	Do pfd	900	95⅝	95⅛	95⅝+	⅛	88
....	39⅛	39⅛	Mo Pacific	400	39⅝	39⅛	39⅛—	⅛	39⅛
....	92⅛	92⅛	Do pfd	500	92⅛	92	92⅛—	⅛	89⅛
5.00	82⅛	83	Mont Power	100	83	83	83	....	....
4.00	69⅛	69⅛	Montg Ward	4,300	70	68⅛	69⅛+	1	81⅝
1.50	13	13⅛	Moon Motor	2,000	13	12⅛	13+	⅛	35⅛
.75	4⅛	4⅛	Mother Lode	4,100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛—	....	7⅛
1.00	11⅛	12⅛	Motion Pic	1,800	12⅛	12	12—	....	....
3.60	35⅛	36	Motor Meter	100	36	36	36	....	40⅝
2.00	20⅛	20⅝	Motor Wheel	1,000	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛	....	....
....	5⅛	5⅝	Murray B ctfs	100	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	....	....
....	15⅛	16⅛	Do ctfs stpd	200	16⅛	15⅛	16⅛	....	....
2.00	70⅛	70⅝	†Nash Mot	9,300	70⅝	70	70⅛—	....	....
4.00	100	100⅛	†Nat Biscuit	600	100⅛	99⅛	100⅛+	⅛	73⅛
7.00	129⅛	131⅛	Do pfd	100	130	130	130	....	....
3.00	41⅛	41⅛	Nat Cash Reg	2,900	41⅛	40⅝	41⅛—	....	....
3.00	71⅛	71⅛	N Dairy Prod	800	71⅛	70⅝	71⅛+	⅝	76⅛
....	26⅛	27	Nat Dept St	500	27⅛	26⅛	27—	⅛	41⅛
....	19⅛	20⅛	Nat Dist	800	20	20	20	....	....
....	45	46	Do pfd	400	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛+	⅛	....
8.00	173	174⅛	Nat Lead	300	176⅛	173⅛	173⅛—	3⅛	....
.80	20⅛	20⅝	Nat Pwr & Lt	900	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	....	....
....	1⅛	2	Nat R R Mex 2d pfd	200	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	....
4.00	82⅛	83	Nat Supply	100	82⅝	82⅝	82⅝+	⅝	55
1.50	15	15⅛	Nev Copper	2,100	15⅛	15	15—	⅛	13⅝
3.00	43⅛	44	N Y A Brake	100	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛	....	37
....	21	21⅛	N Y Canners	300	21⅛	21	21—	⅛	80
7.00	143⅛	143⅝	N Y Central	9,400	144⅛	143⅝	143⅝	....	131⅝
11.00	190	191	N Y C & St L	300	192	190	190—	1⅛	179⅛
6.00	102⅛	104	Do pfd	100	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛	....	....
....	36⅝	37⅛	N Y Dock	1,600	37⅛	35⅝	37⅛+	1⅛	....
....	43⅝	44	N Y N H & H	900	44	43⅝	43⅝—	⅛	45⅝
1.00	26⅛	26⅝	N Y O & W	2,400	26⅝	25⅝	26⅛—	⅛	28
....	15⅛	16	N Y Ry pf ctf	300	16⅛	16	16—	⅛	....
7.00	157	159⅛	†Norf & W	1,500	161	159⅛	159⅛—	1	....
....	45⅛	45⅝	‡N American	7,300	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝+	⅛	64⅛
3.00	50⅛	51	Do pfd	100	51	51	51	....	....
5.00	80⅛	80⅝	Nor Pacific	500	80⅝	80⅛	80⅛—	⅛	76⅛
....	4⅛	4⅝	Norwalk Tire	200	4⅝	4⅛	4⅛	....	13⅛
2.00	33	33⅛	Oil Well Sup	200	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛—	....	....
....	14	14⅛	Omnibus	8,200	14⅛	13⅛	14—	⅛	....
3.00	61	61⅛	Oppenh Col	100	61	61	61	....	....
2.00	31	31⅛	Orpheum	200	31⅛	31	31—	⅛	29⅛
6.00	129⅛	131	†Otis Elevator	700	130⅛	129⅛	129⅛	....	....
....	8⅛	8⅝	Otis Steel	600	8⅝	8⅛	8⅝+	⅛	12
3.00	51⅛	51⅛	Outlet Co	100	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	....	....
7.00	106	108	Do pfd	100	107	107	107	....	....
3.00	79⅛	79⅛	†‡O Bot Mfg	200	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	....	....
....	1⅛	1⅛	Pacific Oil	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	....
2.00	36⅛	36⅝	‡Pack Mot	5,900	36⅝	36⅛	36⅛—	⅛	39⅛
....	11⅛	11⅝	Paige D Mot	500	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛—	⅛	26
6.00	66	67	Pan-A P & T	500	66⅛	66⅛	66⅛+	⅛	76
6.00	66⅝	66⅛	Do class B	7,700	66⅝	66⅛	66⅝+	⅛	78⅛
2.00	38⅛	38⅝	Pan-A West	2,000	38⅝	37	38⅛+	⅛	47⅛
....	14⅝	15	Panh P & R	200	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	....	5⅛
....	23	23⅛	Park & Tilf	100	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛+	⅛	27
.60	5⅛	6	Park-Utah C	400	6	5⅛	5⅛	....	....
3.00	42⅛	43	Pathe Exch	700	42⅝	42⅛	42⅛+	⅛	78⅛
....	28	29⅛	Peerless Mot	200	29⅛	29	29—	....	....
3.50	56⅝	57	Penn R R	1,500	57	56⅝	56⅝—	⅛	54
....	⅝	⅝	Penn S B Cor	1,500	⅝	⅝	⅝+	⅛	2
8.00	129	129⅝	Peoples Gas	200	129	128⅛	129+	1	119
5.00	87	89	Pere Marq pfd	200	88	88	88	....	....
3.20	38⅛	39	Penn Dix Cem	900	39⅛	38⅛	38⅛—	1⅛	....
....	45⅛	46	P Read Coal	30,600	46⅛	43⅝	45⅛+	2⅛	42⅝
....	38⅛	39	Phillip Morris	600	39⅛	38⅛	38⅛—	⅛	19⅛
3.00	56⅝	56⅝	Phillips Pet	17,000	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝+	⅛	44⅛
....	23⅛	23⅝	Pierce-Ar	100	23	23	23—	⅛	36
....	⅝	⅝	Pierce Oil	2,100	⅝	⅝	⅝	....	1⅛
....	3	3⅛	Pierce Pet	200	3	3	3—	⅛	4⅝
....	37⅛	38	Pitts Coal	100	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	....	....
....	90	91	P Rican Tob	1,100	91⅛	88⅝	90	....	....
6.00	133	135	Pitts & W Va	2,400	135	128	134⅛+	7⅛	118
5.00	100⅝	101	Postum Cereal	1,400	102	100⅝	100⅝—	1⅛	....
....	17⅛	18	Prod & Ref	800	18	18	18	....	....
2.00	32	32⅛	Pub S of N J	1,800	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛—	....	....
7.00	108	109	Do 7% pfd	100	109	109	109—	....	....
8.00	189	189⅛	Pullman	1,000	189⅛	189	189—	⅛	169⅝
....	44	45	Punta A Sug	500	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	....	....
1.50	27⅛	27⅝	†Pure Oil	900	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛—	⅛	29⅛
....	59⅛	59⅝	Radio Co	400	59⅛	58⅝	59⅛	....	43⅛
3.00	47	47⅛	Purity Bak A	100	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	101⅛	104⅛	Do pfd	100	103	103	103	....	....
4.00	96	97	†Reading	9,500	97⅝	96	96⅝—	1⅛	87⅛
....	20⅛	21⅛	Do rights	7,600	21⅛	19⅝	21⅛+	1⅛	19
2.00	44⅛	44⅛	Do 2d pfd	200	45	45	45+	....	....
4.00	45⅛	46	Real S Hose	12,500	46⅛	44⅛	45⅛+	⅛	....
....	114	115	Rem Type	800	116	115	115—	....	114
....	11⅛	11⅝	Replogle	500	11⅝	11⅛	11⅛+	⅛	15
7.00	96	98	Rep Ir&Stl p	100	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝—	....	....
....	4⅛	5⅛	Reyn Spring	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	....	....
5.00	120⅛	120⅝	Reyn'ds Tob B	2,500	120⅝	120	120⅛+	1⅛	93⅝
....	9⅛	9⅝	Reis	100	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝+	⅛	10
6.00	79	80	Rossia Ins	200	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝—	....	....
3.08	51⅛	51⅛	Roy D'ch N Y	500	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛+	⅛	54⅝
2.00	40⅛	41⅛	†St Joe Lead	400	41⅛	41	41	....	....
7.00	103	103⅛	St L & S F	5,300	103⅛	102	103	....	98⅛
6.00	96⅝	97⅛	Do pfd	200	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝—	⅛	87⅛
4.00	71⅛	72	Savage Arms	100	71⅛	71⅛	71⅛	....	....
....	48	49⅛	†Schulte Strs	1,200	49⅛	49⅛	49⅛+	⅛	....
....	36	36⅛	Seab'd A Line	9,100	36⅝	34⅝	36+	1⅛	51⅛
....	40	40⅛	Do pfd	3,400	40⅝	39⅛	40⅛+	1⅛	48⅛
2.50	55⅛	55⅛	Sears-Roebuck	2,300	55⅛	54⅝	55⅛+	⅛	....
....	2⅝	3	Seneca Cop	1,400	3	3	3	....	10
2.00	61⅛	63	Shattuck F G	500	61⅝	61⅛	61⅛	....	....
1.40	29⅛	29⅛	†Shell Un Oil	4,200	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛+	⅛	26⅝
6.00	108	108⅛	Do pfd	100	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	....	....
5.00	60	60⅛	Shubert Thea	100	60	60	60	....	....
2.00	33⅝	34	Simmons Co	3,900	34	32⅝	34+	1⅛	54
1.00	19⅝	19⅝	Simms Pet	3,900	19⅝	19⅛	19⅝+	⅛	23⅝
....	20	20⅛	Sinclair Oil	5,400	20⅛	20	20	....	23
8.00	97⅛	98⅛	Do pfd	200	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛	....	....
2.00	34⅝	34⅝	Skelly Oil	1,400	34⅝	34⅛	34⅛	....	31⅛
6.00	130⅛	131	Sloss-Sheff	300	130⅝	130	130⅛+	⅛	136⅛
6.00	159⅛	162	S Por Ric Sug	200	160	159⅛	160—	⅛	99⅛
7.00	120	125	Do pfd	100	121	121	121	....	....
2.00	30⅛	30⅛	Sou Cal Edis	500	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛—	⅛	....
6.00	110	110⅛	Sou Pacific	2,100	110⅛	109⅛	110—	1	102
7.00	121⅛	121⅛	Southern Ry	3,800	122⅛	121⅛	121⅛—	⅛	119⅛
....	1⅛	1⅛	Do rights	7,500	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	....
5.00	94⅛	95⅛	Do pfd	500	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛+	⅛	92
4.00	45	45⅛	Sou Dairies A	800	45	44⅛	45+	1⅛	....
....	20⅛	20⅛	Do B	3,000	20⅛	19⅛	20+	⅛	....
....	22⅛	22⅛	Spicer Mfg	700	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛—	⅛	26⅛
8.00	105	108	††Do pfd	100	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛	....	....
3.00	56⅛	56⅛	Standard Gas	1,800	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛—	⅛	56⅛
4.00	56⅛	56⅛	Do pfd	200	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛—	⅛	54⅛
2.00	59⅛	59⅛	†Stan Oil Cal	1,000	59⅛	59⅛	59⅛—	⅛	60⅛
1.00	39⅛	39⅛	†Stan Oil N J	26,800	39⅛	38⅝	39⅛+	⅛	44⅛
....	2⅛	2⅝	Do rights	80,500	2⅝	2⅛	2⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	115⅛	115⅛	Do pfd	300	115⅛	115⅛	115⅛	....	117⅛
1.60	33	33⅛	††Stan Oil NY	7,500	33⅛	32⅛	33+	⅛	....
5.00	91⅛	92⅛	†Sterling Prod	100	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛	....	....
6.00	65⅛	65⅛	Stewart-Warn	1,200	65⅛	65⅛	65⅛+	⅛	92⅛
5.00	55⅛	56	Studebaker	3,700	56	55⅛	56+	⅛	56⅛
....	3	3⅛	Sub Boat	7,800	3⅛	2⅝	3⅛+	⅛	3⅛
....	4⅛	4⅛	Superior Oil	900	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛—	⅛	2⅛
....	12⅛	13⅛	Sweets Co	200	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛—	⅛	12⅛
3.00	57⅛	58	Texas Co	500	57⅛	57⅛	57⅛+	⅛	52⅛
3.00	57⅛	57⅛	Do new	2,700	57⅛	57⅛	57⅛+	⅛	....
4.00	50	50⅛	Tex Gulf Sul	8,100	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛—	....	....
....	54⅛	55	Texas & Pac	1,800	55⅛	55	55—	⅛	56
....	15	15⅛	T & P C & O	1,200	15⅛	14⅛	15	....	15⅛
....	1970	2000	Tex Land Tr	30	2010	1950	1950	—64	....
....	42	42⅛	Third Avenue	2,900	42⅛	40⅛	42⅛+	1⅛	....
1.50	27⅛	28	Tidewater Oil	500	28	27⅛	27⅛+	⅛	34⅛
4.00	82⅛	82⅛	†Timken R B	5,300	83⅛	82	82⅛+	⅛	54
7.00	110	110⅛	Tobacco Prods	7,500	110⅛	109⅛	110⅛+	1⅛	97⅛
7.00	114	115	Do A	200	115	114	114—	1	109
....	4⅛	4⅛	Trans Con Oil	15,800	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛+	⅛	4⅛
4.00	46	46⅛	Underw'd Type	100	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛+	⅛	55⅛
....	42⅛	43	Un Bag & P	600	43	41⅛	43—	⅛	67⅛
6.00	95⅛	95⅛	Union Carbide	600	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛	....	....
2.00	55⅛	55⅛	Union Oil Cal	41,800	57	55⅛	55⅛+	⅛	36⅛
10.00	162⅛	163⅛	Union Pac	900	164	163⅛	164—	⅛	149
4.00	80⅛	80⅛	Do pfd	300	80⅛	80⅛	80⅛+	⅛	....
2.00	96⅛	96⅛	††Un Cigar S	4,200	97⅛	95⅛	96⅛+	1⅛	93
8.00	173⅛	173⅛	United Drug	6,400	174	170	173⅛+	4⅛	....
3.50	58	58⅛	Do 1st pfd	100	58⅛	58⅛	58⅛—	....	....
4.00	118⅛	120	Un Fruit	1,100	120	118⅛	118⅛—	1	....
10.00	235	125⅛	U S Cast I P	3,800	238	235	235	....	208
7.00	117⅛	118	Do pfd	200	117⅛	117⅛	117⅛—	⅛	100⅛
....	58⅛	58⅛	U S Dist	8,400	59	58⅛	58⅛+	⅛	55⅛
3.00	56⅛	56⅛	†U S Hoffman	500	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛	....	....
5.00	78⅛	78⅛	U S Ind Alc	3,100	79	78⅛	78⅛—	⅛	73⅛
4.00	63⅛	63⅛	U S Realty	1,700	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛—	⅛	69⅛
....	61	61⅛	U S Rubber	2,200	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛	....	82⅛
3.50	35⅛	37	U S Smelt	200	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	....	47⅛
7.00	159⅛	159⅛	††U S Steel	79,900	159⅛	158	159⅛+	1⅛	135⅛
....	116⅛	116⅛	Do new	29,100	116⅛	115⅛	116⅛+	1⅛	....
7.00	129⅛	130	Do pfd	1,600	129⅛	129⅛	129⅛+	⅛	126
....	32⅛	33	Univ P & R	8,400	33⅛	32⅛	33—	⅛	27⅛
7.00	86⅛	87	Do pfd	1,000	87	85⅛	86⅛—	⅛	77⅛
2.00	28⅛	29	Util P & L	600	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	....	....
3.50	47	47⅛	Vick Chem	400	47⅛	46⅛	46⅛—	....	....
....	14	18⅛	Van Raalte	200	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	....	....
....	10⅛	10⅛	Virg Chem	300	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	....	....
3.00	36⅛	36⅛	Vivaudou	900	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	108	112	Do pfd	100	110	110	110	....	....
....	⅛	⅛	Do rts	200	⅛	⅛	⅛+	....	....
....	42⅛	42⅛	Wabash	800	42⅛	42	42⅛+	⅛	43⅛
5.00	75⅛	76⅛	Do pfd A	2,300	76⅛	75⅛	75⅛—	⅛	73
1.00	19⅛	20	Walworth	700	20	19⅛	20+	⅛	23⅛
....	29⅛	30	Ward Bkg B	700	30	29⅛	29⅛—	⅛	80⅛
....	43⅛	43⅛	Warner Pic	19,600	43⅛	42⅛	43⅛+	⅛	17⅛
4.00	65⅛	67	Warren Bros	300	67⅛	67	67⅛	....	....
4.00	57	57⅛	Web & Heil	300	57⅛	57	57⅛+	1⅛	100
....	12⅛	13	West Maryld	3,800	13⅛	12⅛	12⅛	....	16⅛
....	23⅛	23⅛	Do 2d pfd	4,500	24	23⅛	24+	⅛	....
....	27⅛	27⅛	West Pac	800	28	27⅛	27⅛+	⅛	39
6.00	77	77⅛	Do pfd	4,400	78⅛	76⅛	77—	1⅛	....
8.00	146	147	West Union	100	146⅛	146⅛	146⅛+	⅛	136⅛
7.00	142⅛	143	†West Air Br	700	143⅛	142⅛	142⅛—	⅛	124⅛
4.00	69⅛	69⅛	West Elec	400	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛+	⅛	74⅛
....	15⅛	16	Weston Elec	100	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛—	⅛	17⅛
....	26⅛	26⅛	Wheel & L E	700	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	....	29⅛
....	45⅛	45⅛	Do pfd	500	45⅛	44⅛	45⅛+	⅛	49
2.00	26⅛	26⅛	White Eagle	100	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛+	⅛	27⅛
4.00	58	58⅛	White Mot	3,000	58⅛	57⅛	58⅛+	⅛	82⅛
4.00	56	58⅛	White Sew M	200	56	55⅛	56	....	....
....	⅛	⅛	Wick-Spen ctf	700	⅛	⅛	⅛+	⅛	....
....	23⅛	23⅛	Willys-Overld	5,800	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛—	⅛	26⅛
....	28	28⅛	Wilson A	600	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛—	⅛	....
4.00	189⅛	189⅛	† ††Woolwth	1,500	189⅛	188⅛	189⅛+	⅛	210⅛
....	44	46	Worth P pf A	600	46	45	45	....	....
....	39	39⅛	Do pfd B	700	39⅛	39	39—	....	....
1.00	31⅛	32	Wright Aero	3,500	32⅛	30⅛	31⅛+	1⅛	28
4.00	70⅛	71⅛	Yale & Towne	100	71⅛	71⅛	71⅛	....	....
.75	28⅛	28⅛	Yellow Truck	11,500	28⅛	27⅛	28⅛+	⅛	30
7.00	99⅛	101	Do pfd	100	100	100	100+	⅛	....
4.00	89⅛	90	Young S&T	7,000	90⅛	89⅛	90⅛	....	86⅛

*Ex dividend. †Pays extra dividend. ‡Ex rights. **Initial dividend. ††Stock dividend declared. §10% dividend in stock. ¶Dividend in stock.

Sales end first hour, 423,300; end second hour, 740,100; end third hour, 937,300; end fourth hour, 1,115,000; total sales, 1,476,200.

GEN. MOTORS AND U. S. STEEL BACK IN STOCK LEAD

YESTERDAY'S AVERAGES

	High.	Low.	Last	Net Chge.
25 railroads	101.91	100.96	101.35+	.91
25 industrials	182.74	180.22	181.73+	.85
50 stocks	142.32	140.59	141.53+	.63

New York, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Wall street witnessed an old fashioned Christmas market today which brought cheer to most every one but bear traders. While trading was not as brisk as it was earlier in the week, the seasonal contraction in volume was less marked than usual.

Closing quotations disclosed a long list of net gains ranging from 1 to 5 points, with many of the high priced industrial issues setting new high records. The market paid little attention to outside news developments, although a reduction in the call money rate brought encouragement to speculators for the advance, who expected the high rate to be maintained until after the turn of the year.

Steel and Motors in Lead.

United States Steel common and General Motors resumed their places as market leaders, the former showing an extreme gain of nearly 2 points by approaching to within a point of the record high, while the latter moved up 4 points to 158⅝, closing within a small fraction of the top.

Baldwin touched a new record high at 167⅝, while Brooklyn Manhattan Transit preferred, Chicago Pneumatic Tool, Coca Cola, Continental Motors, Du Pont, Electric Boat, and United Drug were among the score or so issues to sell at new peak prices for a year, or longer.

Some Outstanding Gains.

International Combustion Engineering crossed 50 for a gain of more than 4 points on the announcement of a new motor fuel. Outstanding gains also were recorded by American Express, Brooklyn Edison, International Harvester and National Distillers.

A sharp jump of more than 7 points in Pittsburgh and West Virginia, which touched a new high record at 135, and the establishment of a new record price by Atchison at 172 divided speculative interest in the railroad group, the latter losing most of the day's gain. Erie preferred issues were strong, but many of the other rails were sluggish.

The Weekly Clearing House statement showed excess reserve of $41,193,430, as against a deficit in reserve of $5,038,920 last week. The detailed statement of actual condition this day showed gains in all of the principal items. Loans, discounts and investments increased $103,371,000; cash in own vaults, $10,122,000; reserve in the Federal Reserve bank of member banks, $54,487,000; net demand deposits, $60,219,000 and time deposits $10,584,000.

Call money renewed at 6 per cent but eased to 5½ in the early afternoon and closed at that figure. Time money held relatively firm at 4¾ per cent and prime commercial paper was quoted at 4¼@4½.

CORPORATION EARNINGS

UNITED STATES DISTRIBUTING.

Net income after all charges and preferred dividends for the three months ending next week is estimated at $500,000, equal to $2.69 on 185,976 shares, and bringing the prospective 1926 income to $1,400,000, or $7.32 a share. This compares with the actual net income for 1925 of $1,172,589, equal after preferred dividends to $6.29 a share on 168,709 shares of common at the close of the year. The second largest subsidiary of the corporation, the United States Trucking corporation, will show better than $500,000 net for this year, equal to over $20 a share on 25,564 shares of 8 per cent cumulative preferred stock.

PHILADELPHIA COMPANY.

For November—	1926.	Change.
Gross	$5,492,104	†$88,718
‡Net	1,645,465	†307,167
For eleven months—		
Gross	58,474,012	*2,545,797
‡Net	17,560,587	*1,034,473

*Increase. †Decrease.

‡After expenses, depreciation and tax, but before interest.

AMERICAN SHIP AND COMMERCE.

For the nine months ended Sept. 30, loss was $1,779,668, after interest and depreciation, against a loss of $427,700 in the same period of 1925. After crediting net surplus adjustment of $919,319, including profit on sale of capital assets, deficit was $860,349, against a deficit of $826,920 in the first nine months of 1925.

RELIANCE MANUFACTURING.

Earnings before federal taxes this year are estimated at approximately $650,000, equal after preferred dividends to $2.06 a share on 235,000 shares of common, as compared with profit of $254,249 before taxes in 1925, equal to 38c a share on common on the same share basis.

NORTHERN OHIO POWER.

November surplus after taxes and charges and preferred dividends of subsidiaries, but before depreciation, was $98,535, against $112,265 in November, 1925. For the twelve months, $774,963, against $751,049.

OTIS STEEL.

November profit was $133,382, after all charges, but before depreciation and federal taxes, against $263,153 before federal taxes and depreciation in October and $251 after interest and taxes, but before depreciation in November, 1925.

NEW YORK DOCK.

November surplus after taxes and charges was $50,003, against $32,887 in November 1925. For eleven months, $608,896, against $531,036.

OHIO LEATHER.

Net after all charges was $12,000 for November. Loss for eleven months was $71,343.

RAILROAD NOTES

The number of passengers carried by steam railways in the United States in the calendar year 1925 was 902,000,000. Compared with the year 1924, when the number was 950,000,000, this was a reduction of 5.05 per cent. The largest number of passengers ever so carried in any calendar years was in 1920, when the number was 1,270,000,000. The number carried in 1925, therefore, was 28.98 per cent less than in the record year. In connection with the foregoing data concerning total passenger traffic it may be stated that the Pullman service has been less adversely affected. The number of Pullman passengers was 39,200,000 in 1920 and 35,500,000 in 1925, a decline of 9.44 per cent.

The Seaboard All Florida railway has applied for authority to issue jointly with the Florida Western and Northern railway and the East and West Coast railway $2,451,000 of its first mortgage 6s to be delivered to the Seaboard Air Line railway at par in part payment for advances.

COFFEE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—COFFEE—Futures were quiet today, but after opening at 1@12 points lower was steady on pre-holiday covering. March closed at 14.43c and the general market net 3 points lower to 7 points higher. Spot quiet; Rio 7s, 15¾@15⅞c; Santos 4s, 19⅛@19¾c. Cost and freight offers included part Bourbon 3s and 5s at 18⅞@18⅝c. Brazilian port receipts, 49,000 bags; Jundiahy receipts, 33,000.

Prices, as wired to Lamborn & Co., follow:

	Sales bags.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Dec	3,500	14.81	14.81	.....	14.42
March	1,500	14.45	14.40	14.43	14.43
May	2,750	13.97	13.87	13.90	13.93
July	1,750	13.51	13.35	13.50	13.43
Sept	4,250	13.04	12.91	13.00	12.94
Dec., '27	.....	.....	.....	12.70	12.70

NEW·YORK·CURB TRANSACTIONS

Friday, Dec. 24, 1926.

[By Associated Press.]

Day's sales 229,000

Bonds, par value $1,210,000

INDUSTRIALS.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allied Pack	300	2	2	2
All Pack pr pf	100	16	16	16
Alum. Co. A pf	100	102½	102½	102½
Am G & El	600	102½	101½	101½
Am G & El pf	200	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
Am L & T	25	233	233	233
Do pfd	2,500	114⅛	114⅛	114⅛
Am Seat ctf	800	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛
Am Sup-pow B	500	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛
Do pt. pfd	100	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
Am W P pf vtc	100	30	30	30
Ang Chil Cn Nit	1,100	16	15⅛	16
Asso Gas & El	100	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛
Atl Fruit & Sug	300	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Big Hrtfrd Cpt	25	79	79	79
Borden new	100	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
Bridgeprt Mach	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Brill A	1,600	46⅛	45⅛	46⅛
Do B	400	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛
Br Am Tob cp	600	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Bklyn E B	400	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Buf Niag & E Pw	200	29	28⅛	29
Butler Bros	400	24⅛	23⅛	24⅛
Cen Ag Sug	100	98	97⅛	97⅛
Centrifugal Pipe	3,100	17	16⅛	16⅛
Chi Nip A	100	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛
Chi Nip B T	100	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛
Comwealth Pow	4,000	43	41⅛	42⅛
Do pf	300	93	93	93
Cons Dairy	100	2	2	2
Cn G & E Balt	200	50	40⅛	50
Cons Lndry	200	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Crtis Pb 7 pf	110	114⅛	113⅛	114
Curtiss Aero	100	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛
De Forest vtc	400	10⅛	10	10
Dubilier new	1,300	4⅛	6⅛	4⅛
Dunhill Inter	1,100	23⅛	22⅛	23
Durant Mot	1,400	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
Dus A	200	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Dus vtc	100	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
El Bnd & Shr	4,200	74	71⅛	72⅛
El Invest	1,300	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛
Estey Wel A	3,600	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛
Estey Wel B	100	16	16	16
Fageol Mot	100	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Fajardo Sug	120	160	155⅛	155⅛
Fed Purch B	100	8	8	8
Ford Mot Can	60	430	420	429
Found Foreign	200	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
Fox Theatre A	100	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Freed-Eismnn	300	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Freshman	2,000	24⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Garod	200	3	3	3
Gen Bak A	500	59⅛	59⅛	59⅛
Gen Bak B	1,600	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Gen Ice Car	200	46	46	46
Gleasnite Prd	100	12	12	12
Gobel Adolf	700	27⅛	27	27⅛
Goodyear T & R	400	31	30⅛	30⅛
Grimes Radio	2,800	.55	.50	.50
Hbirshaw Cbl ctf	100	15	15	15
Happiness C S A	100	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Do F	1,000	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Hazeltine	100	13	13	13
Ind. Ray A	600	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Ins Co N Am	25	54	54	54
Johns Manville	575	217	208	209
Kruskal & Krskl	100	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
Lehigh Pow Sec	3,000	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Lehigh Vl Cl ctf	700	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
Lehigh Vl Cl Sl	50	98	98	98
Lib Ow Sh Gls	110	138⅛	133⅛	138⅛
Mad Sq Grd ctf	300	17	16⅛	16⅛
Marmon Mot	200	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛
Mid W Ut pr ln	100	117	117	117
Mhwk & Hd Pw	100	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛
Mohawk Val new	300	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛
Nt Pow & L pf	50	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
Nat Pub Ser A	100	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
Do B	100	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
N Y Tel 6½% pf	75	114⅛	114⅛	114⅛
N Y Trans	100	55	55	55
Northeast Pow	1,000	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
N Ohio Pow	200	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
Ovgtn Bros pr pf	100	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
Penn P & L pf	25	106	106	106
Penn Wa & Pw	10	178	178	178
Phila Elec	100	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛
Philip Morris	100	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
Pick Barth vtc	100	13	13	13
Pt & L Erie Ry	250	169	168	169
Pitts Plate Gl	20	270	270	270
Procter & Gam	400	180	175⅛	175⅛
Pyrene Mfg	100	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
Rand Kard Bur	1,700	53⅛	52⅛	53⅛
Reo Motor	400	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛
Rickenback Mot	1,100	1	.95	1
Saf Car & H L	10	128	128	128
Scovill Mfg new	100	65	65	65
Servel Del	1,900	8	7⅛	7⅛
Singer Mfg	10	368	368	368
So Ea Pw & Lt	1,300	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Do war	1,000	9	9	9
Do pr pfd	100	168	168	168
So Cal Ed A pfd	100	28	28	28
Splitdorf Beth	200	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Stand Motors	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
St Pw & Lt new	100	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Stand Pub A	200	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Stroock & Co	300	42⅛	41⅛	42⅛
Swift Int	100	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Tob Prod Exp	200	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Todd Shipyards	100	40	40	40
Tr Lux Day Pic	1,500	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Tub Art Si B ctf	20	169	169	169
Tung Sol La A	100	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
Un Gas Imp	2,000	90⅛	89⅛	90⅛
UnLt&P A new	7,400	14⅛	14	14⅛
Un Pro Sha new	100	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Univ Leaf Tob	300	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛
Util Sh Option	300	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Vict Talk Ma	1,300	153	152	152
War Bros Pict	4,000	32⅛	31⅛	32
West Da Pr A	200	48⅛	48	48⅛
White Sew Ma	800	20	19⅛	20
Yel Tx Cab N Y	300	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛
STANDARD OILS.				
Ang Am Oil	600	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛
Do ctf nonvot	200	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛
Buck Pipe Line	400	50⅛	50	50⅛
Continental Oil	6,300	20⅛	19⅛	20
Eureka Pipe	50	50	50	50
Galena Signal	300	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Do pfd old	40	63	63	63
Do pfd new	80	64	63	64
Hm Oil & Ref	700	62⅛	61⅛	62
Ill Pipe Line	400	127	126	127
Imp Oil Canada	100	38	38	38
Inter Pet	1,100	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛
Nat Trans	500	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
Ohio Oil	400	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛
Prai Oil & Gas	1,900	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛
Prai Pipe Line	3,550	135⅛	130⅛	135⅛
South Penn Oil	200	39	38⅛	39
Stand Oil Ind	6,200	69⅛	68⅛	69⅛
Do Ken	700	122⅛	121⅛	122⅛
Do Neb	100	48⅛	48⅛	48⅛
Do Ohio	500	369	354	362
Vacuum	700	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
MISCELLANEOUS OILS.				
Am Con Oilfds	2,200	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Am Maracaibo	6,400	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Ark Nat Gas	100	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Cardinal Petrol	9,000	.30	.20	.27
Carib Synd	6,000	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Cities Serv new	1,900	49⅛	49⅛	49⅛
Do pfd	300	92	92	92
Colomb Syndi	800	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Creole Synd	1,700	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Crown Central	10,700	3⅛	3	3⅛
Gibson Oil	2,200	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Gulf Oil Cor Pa	500	96⅛	96	96⅛
Kirby Pet	200	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Leonard Oil	600	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
Lion Oil	300	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Magdalena Syn	1,100	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Margay Oil	100	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
Mex Panuco	400	3⅛	3	3
Mex Oil	33,000	.50	.38	.37
Mountain Prod	200	25⅛	25	25
New Bradford	2,000	5⅛	5	5
N M & Ar Ld	1,300	13⅛	13	13⅛
Pandem Oil	1,000	9	9	9
Pante of Venez	800	12	11⅛	12
Red Banks	1,800	25	25	25
Reiter Foster	300	17⅛	17	17
Ryan Con	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Salt Cr Prod	3,000	31⅛	31	31⅛
Tid Os non vot	700	20	19	20
Ti Wat Asso Oil	4,200	22	21⅛	22
Do pfd	800	94⅛	94	94
Venez Petr	1,600	7⅛	6⅛	7
Warner Quinlan	100	26	26	26
Wil Oil & Gas	500	29⅛	29⅛	29⅛
MINING.				
Arizona Globe	1,000	.06	.06	.06
Cons Cop Min	100	.03	.03	.03
Cortes Silver	1,000	.07	.07	.07
Cresson Gold	400	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Eng Gold Mines	600	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Burea Crocesus	2,000	.06	.06	.06
Falcon Lead Min	100	.76	.76	.76
Forty-nine Min	2,000	.07	.07	.07
Hawthorne Min	4,000	.12	.11	.12
Hecla Mining	500	15	15⅛	15⅛
Kay Copper	5,200	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Nipissing Mines	5,500	9	8⅛	9
Noranda Mines	800	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Plymouth Lead	5,000	.11	.09	.11
Spearhd Gold	1,000	.03	.03	.03
Stand Silv-Lead	3,000	.14	.14	.14
Teck Hugh Gold	1,900	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
United Eastern	100	.50	.50	.50
United Verde Ex	300	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
Utah Apex M	300	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Wenden C Min	500	3	2⅛	2⅛

BONDS.

No. thous.	High.	Low.	Close.
9 All Pack 8s '39	75	75	75
5 do 6s '39	63	63	63
6 Aluminum 7s '33	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
13 Am G&E 6s B 2014	102	101⅛	101⅛
5 Am P & L 6s 2016	101	100⅛	100⅛
1 Am Roll M 6s '38	103	103	103
7 Am Seat 6s '36	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
2 Am Thread 6s '28	102	102	102
5 Am Writ P 6s '47	83	83	83
2 Anac C 6s A '29	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
8 Appalac P 5s '56	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
10 Assd G & E 6s '55	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
14 Assd S H 6½s '33	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
20 Beac O 6s '36	102⅛	102	102⅛
2 Bell T Can 5s '55	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
13 Brit T 7½s '55	85⅛	85	85
1 Can N R E 7s '35	111⅛	111⅛	111⅛
6 Can Pac 4½s '46	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
2 Car P & L 5s '56	100	100	100
42 Citirs S 6s '66	98⅛	98	98⅛
7 do 7s D '66	122⅛	122⅛	122⅛
2 Con Gas B 6s '49	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
1 Cub C 6s '29	97	97	97
1 Detroit C G 6s '47	107	107	107
8 Duke P P 6s '66	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
10 East T 6½s '43	99	99	99
4 Fisk R 5½s '31	98	97⅛	98
11 Fla P & L 5s '54	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
1 Gair Rob 7s '37	104	104	104
1 Ga' Sig O 7s '30	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
13 Gat P 5s '56	95	94⅛	95
16 Goodyr T&R 5s '28	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
3 Hood R 7s '36	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
6 do 5½s '36	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
1 Ind L 6s '41	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
8 Ind P&L 6s '36	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
10 Int G N 5s '56	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
89 Int Paper 6s wi	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
1 Int N Gas 6s '36	121⅛	121⅛	121⅛
1 do 6s ww '36	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
12 Leh P S 6s A 2026	95⅛	95	95⅛
2 Lib Mc & L 7s '31	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
7 Manitoba L 5½s '51	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
2 Mass Gas 5½s '46	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
3 Midw G 7s '36	100	100	100
35 Mont L&P 5s '51	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
31 Nat P&L 6s 2026	99	99	99
10 NOT&Mex 5s '56	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
1 O Pwr 5s B '52	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
3 do 4½s D '56	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
8 Pan Am P 6s '40	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1 Phila E 6s '41	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
24 do 5½s '72	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
1 do 5½s '47	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
15 Pub S NJ 5½s '56	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
5 Richfield O 6s wi '41	99	99	99
1 Schulte RE 6s '35	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
33 Servel C 6s '31	80	78	79
7 SEP&L 6s ww 2025	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
4 So Cal E 5s '51	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
2 So Gas 6½s '35	102	102	102
5 SW P&L 6s	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
1 Stand O NY 6½s '33	105	105	105
14 Swift Co 5s '32	99	98⅛	98⅛
2 Ulen & C 6½s new	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1 United O P 8s '31	54⅛	54⅛	54⅛
1 U S Rub 6½s '30	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
5 do 6½s '35	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
6 do 6½s '39	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
4 U S Smelt 5½s '35	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
2 Valvoline 7s '37	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
5 Wab Ry 5s B '76	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
30 War Br P 6½s '28	105⅛	105	105
27 W Un Tel 5s	101	100⅛	101
FOREIGN.			
45 Ber E E&U 6½s '56	95⅛	94⅛	95⅛
19 Buen A P 7s '52	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
1 Dan C 5½s '55	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
2 Dan M Bk 6s '70	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
4 Denm K 5½s	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
29 Ger C M 7s	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
18 Gt C S P 6½s '50	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
12 Hambg E 7s '35	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
5 Hambg S 6s	95⅛	95	95⅛
1 Hung L C 7s	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
5 do Ins 7½s '61	98	97⅛	97⅛
10 Miag M M 7s '56	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
31 Peru 7½s '56	100	100	100
16 Prus F S 6½s '51	98⅛	98	98
8 Russ 6½s ct NC '19	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
21 do 5½s ctfs '21	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
3 Sauda F L 5s '55	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
4 Sax P W 6½s '51	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
20 Sax St M 7s '45	100	100	100
25 Sie & H 6½s	98⅛	98	98⅛
15 Stinnes C 7s ww	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
2 do indus 7s ww	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛

CHICAGO STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Friday, Dec. 24, 1926.

Day's sales ....23,500 Year ago ....Holiday Total, 1926 ....10,009,437 Year ago 14,289,967

Preholiday trading in Chicago stocks yesterday brought dullness to the market. Only a few issues registered a turnover of 1,000 shares or more, while the remainder of the market closed with fractional net changes on small sales. Borg & Beck advanced to 56⅛, a new high, closing 1½ up on the day. Illinois Brick advanced ⅜ to 51⅜, and Continental Motors was again active, moving ⅛ higher to 13⅝. Swift International closed unchanged at 22.

Div. pd. per share	Bid	Asked	Description	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net chge.	Close Dec. 24, 1925
$8.00	78⅛	79⅛	Am Shipbldg	40	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	....	....
7.00	96	96⅛	Am P Svc pf	100	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛+	⅛	....
....	3⅛	3⅛	Am Stat "A"	450	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛—	⅛	....
....	3⅛	3⅛	Do "B"	250	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	....	....
....	⅛	⅛	Do war	100	⅛	⅛	⅛	....	....
7.00	83⅛	84	Arm&Co pfd	15	83⅛	83⅛	83⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	93	93⅛	Arm—Del pfd	100	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛	....	....
2.50	36⅛	37	Asso Inv	50	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛	....	....
4.00	70⅛	70⅛	Auburn Auto	197	70⅛	70⅛	70⅛+	⅛	50
2.00	36⅛	36⅛	Bendix Corpn	50	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛	....	32
4.00	56⅛	56⅛	Borg & Beck	7,500	56⅛	55	56⅛+	1⅛	29⅛
2.80	26	26⅛	Brach & Sons	20	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛+	⅛	....
2.50	24⅛	24⅛	Butler Bros	500	24⅛	24	24	....	....
7.00	88⅛	89⅛	Celotex pfd	35	89	88⅛	89	....	....
....	16⅛	17	C P Ser—Del	50	17	17	17	....	....
3.00	55⅛	56	CentSWUtil	395	55⅛	55	55⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	98⅛	99	Do pr pfd	35	99	98⅛	99	....	....
7.00	93	93⅛	Do pfd	40	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛	....	....
....	3⅛	3⅛	CC&CRys pfd	10	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	....	....
7.00	99⅛	100	CNS&MRRpr p	160	100	99⅛	100	....	....
8.00	139	139⅛	Commonw Ed	35	139⅛	139	139⅛+	⅛	139⅛
....	7	7⅛	Consumers Co	110	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	....	6
7.00	72⅛	73⅛	Consumers pfd	50	73	73	73	....	....
.80	13⅛	13⅛	Contl Motors	4,100	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	117	118	Crane pfd	20	117⅛	117⅛	117⅛+	⅛	....
4.00	53	53⅛	Cudahy	200	53	53	53—	⅛	....
7.00	105	105⅛	Deere&Co pf	12	105	105	105—	⅛	....
8.00	116	116⅛	Diam Match	15	116⅛	116⅛	116⅛+	⅛	129
....	14⅛	14⅛	‡Elec Househ	255	15	15	15+	⅛	....
3.00	28⅛	29	Ev Co "A"	150	29	28⅛	29	....	28⅛
3.00	26	26⅛	Do "B"	100	26	26	26	....	....
2.00	28	29	Fitz-Connel	150	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	....	....
1.00	12	12⅛	Foote Bros	300	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	....	....
3.20	40	....	Greif Bros	10	40⅛	40⅛	40⅛	....	....
2.40	51⅛	51⅛	†Ill Brick Co	1,600	51⅛	51	51⅛+	⅛	37⅛
1.30	14⅛	15	Kellogg Swit	250	15	15	15	....	....
7.00	95	96	Do pfd	125	96	95⅛	95⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	94⅛	95	Ken H El pfd	25	95	95	95+	⅛	....
3.50	50⅛	....	KUtilJr pfd	10	51	51	51	....	....
....	49	50	KeystoneS&W	20	50	50	50	....	....
6.00	111⅛	112⅛	Mid W Util	75	112⅛	112⅛	112⅛+	⅛	115⅛
7.00	107⅛	107⅛	Do pfd	30	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛+	⅛	98⅛
8.00	117⅛	117⅛	Do pr pfd	275	118	117⅛	117⅛	....	....
7.00	98	98⅛	MidUt pr pfd	25	98	98	98	....	....
7.00	114⅛	115	M Ward cl A	100	115	115	115	....	....
5.00	61⅛	62	Morgan Litho	100	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛—	⅛	58⅛
1.80	23	23⅛	N El Pw "A"	200	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛+	⅛	....
2.50	31⅛	31⅛	Nat Standard	80	31⅛	31	31⅛+	⅛	....
2.50	28⅛	29	N Am Car	100	29	29	29+	⅛	....
7.00	98⅛	98⅛	NWUtil pr pf	10	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛+	⅛	....
7.00	94	....	Do pfd	30	94⅛	94	94⅛	....	....
....	13⅛	14	Omnibus	200	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛—	2⅛	14⅛
1.50	15⅛	16	Oil-o-Matic	150	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛—	⅛	17
2.00	52⅛	53	*†Pines Wint	100	53	53	53+	⅛	60
7.00	112⅛	113⅛	Do 7% pfd	20	113	113	113	....	....
8.00	130⅛	131⅛	P Svc no par	50	131	131	131	....	....
1.80	33⅛	34	Q R S Music	100	34	34	34	....	....
4.00	185⅛	....	Quaker Oats	25	189⅛	189⅛	189⅛—	⅛	....
4.00	45	45⅛	Real Silk H	600	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛+	⅛	58⅛
2.00	26	26⅛	So C Pw "A"	120	26⅛	26	26⅛	....	....
8.00	116	116⅛	Swift & Co	25	116	116	116	....	113⅛
1.20	21⅛	22⅛	Swift Intl	1,300	22	21⅛	22	....	21⅛
....	13⅛	4⅛	Tenn Prod	100	14	14	14+	2⅛	....
4.00	39	40	U Biscuit "A"	40	39⅛	39⅛	39⅛—	⅛	52⅛
.48	13⅛	14⅛	U L & P "A"	50	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛—	⅛	....
.48	....	18	Do "B"	150	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛—	⅛	....
6.50	87	....	Do pfd "A"	150	87⅛	87	87⅛+	⅛	93
....	2	2⅛	U Iron Wks	200	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛—	⅛	....
1.60	141⅛	142	‡U S Gypsum	25	142	142	142+	1	156
....	7⅛	9	Wahl	600	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	....	....
3.00	51⅛	51⅛	†Wrigley	300	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛—	⅛	....
2.60	27⅛	28	Yates Mch	250	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛+	⅛	30
.75	27⅛	28⅛	Yell T & C Co	125	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛+	⅛	30⅛

*Ex dividend. †Pays extra dividend. ‡Pays stock dividend. ‖Pays dividend in stock.

BONDS.

Int. paid.	Bid.	Asked.	Sales.	Issue—	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.	Close Dec. 24, 1925.
$6.00	97½	98	$5,000	CeWPSdeb6s	97½	97½	97½	....	....
5.00	51⅛	51⅛	12,000	CC&CRy5s'27	51⅛	51	51⅛+	⅛	....
5.00	31⅛	32⅛	4,000	ChRysB5s'27	32	32	32	....	....
6.50	96⅛	97	7,000	HouG6½s'31	97	97	97—	⅛	....

BOSTON STOCK MARKET

[Quotations by Paine, Webber & Co.]

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amoskeag	10	52	52	52
Bos and Albany	6	173	173	173
Boston Elev	50	83⅛	83⅛	83⅛
Cal Hecla	30	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Domstores	150	69	69	69
Edison Elec	50	230	229	230
European Shrs	200	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Gilgrist	50	87	87	87
Gillette	25	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
Herman Nelson	80	26	26	26
Hood Rubber	145	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
Maine Cent	100	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛
Mass Gas	30	89⅛	89	89⅛
May O C	100	50	50	50
Merg	150	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
New Cornelia	90	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛
N E Tel	10	115⅛	115⅛	115⅛
New River pfd	500	64	62	64
Nipissing	80	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
North Butte	300	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Old Dom	50	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
Pac Mills	30	41	41	41
Shannon	300	15	15	15
St. Mary's Land	35	26	25⅛	26
Swedish Am pfd	300	105	104⅛	104⅛
United Fruit	100	119⅛	119	119
United Shoe	200	50⅛	49⅛	49⅛
Utah Apex	250	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Utah Metal	400	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Warren Bros	50	67⅛	67	67⅛

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

Money in Chicago firm at 5 per cent on collateral; commercial paper, 4¼@5 per cent, 5½ per cent over the counter. Bankers' acceptances, 3⅝@3⅞ per cent. New York exchange by wire, par. Chicago bank clearings yesterday were $111,800,000, compared with $116,800,000 a week ago. A year ago was a holiday.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Prime commercial paper, 4¼@4½ per cent; bar silver, domestic, 53⅝c; Mexican dollars, 40⅛c. Call money strong; high, 6; low, 5½; ruling rate, 6; closing bid, 5½. Time loans firmer; mixed collateral 60-90 days, 4¾; 4-6 months, 4¾c.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Foreign closing exchange in amounts of $25,000 and over between banks as quoted by the Illinois Merchants Trust company:

	Dec. 24.	Dec. 23.	Wk. ago.	Yr. ago.
LONDON—				
Cables	485.38	485.25	485.25	4.85.00
Checks	484.88	484.75	484.75	484.75
PARIS—				
Cables	3.97	3.97½	4.01½	3.67½
Checks	3.96	3.96½	4.00½	3.67
The following quotations are for checks:				
Italy	4.51½	4.52	4.46½	4.03½
Antwerp	*13.91	*13.91½	*13.91½	4.53½
Swiss	19.34	19.34	19.34½	19.31½
Holland	40.00½	40.01	40.01	40.19½
Denmark	26.65½	26.65½	26.64½	24.82
Sweden	26.72	26.74	26.73	26.84
Norway	25.33	25.17	25.25	20.32
Spain	15.27	15.27	15.24	14.15
Germany	23.83	23.84½	23.81	23.81½
Austria	14.25	14.25	14.25	14.25
Poland	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50
Greece	1.25½	1.25½	1.24½	1.29
Roumania	.54½	.54	.52	.47
Jugo Sl.	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77½
Czecho-Sl.	2.96½	2.96½	2.96½	2.96½
Finland	2.53½	2.53½	2.53½	2.53
Canada	†.78	†.78	†1.33	‡.94
Argentine	41.48	41.48	41.46	41.70
Brazil	12.35	12.35	12.45	14.85
Hongkong	48.25	48.55	48.55	59.00
Shanghai	59.65	59.75	59.90	76.85
Japan	49.30	49.25	49.40	43.60
Chile	12.10	12.10	12.10	12.24
India	36.70	36.70	36.45	37.10
Bulgaria	.73	.73	.73	.72
Singapore	56.50	56.50	56.50	57.10
Hungary	.00145	.00145	.00145	.00145

*Per thousand premium. All other quotations are values in American cents. †Belgium new unit "Belga." ‡Per thousand discount.

RAILROAD EARNINGS

PERE MARQUETTE.

For November—	1926.	1925.
Gross	$4,033,962	$3,994,675
Net oper income	812,079	936,047
Surp after charges	646,988	732,945

TEXAS AND PACIFIC.

For November—	1926.	1925.
Gross	$3,289,173	$3,355,296
Net oper income	748,392	655,010
Total income	777,426	684,276

MISSOURI PACIFIC.

For November—	1926.	1925.
Gross	$11,704,214	$11,248,501
Net oper income	1,854,460	1,909,822

INTERNATIONAL GREAT NORTHERN.

For November—	1926.	1925.
Gross	$1,821,414	$1,463,279
Net oper income	22,448	234,491

GULF COAST LINES.

For November—	1926.	1925.
Gross	$1,296,418	$1,137,535
Net oper income	142,721	139,169

READING.

November net operating income was $2,878,020 against $1,840,330 in November, 1925. For eleven months, $20,636,174, as against $18,964,245.

INTERNATIONAL GREAT NORTHERN.

November surplus after charges, but before adjustment bond interest, was $113,339, against $138,118 in November, 1925. Eleven months' surplus was $1,250,492, against $1,008,060.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Gray cotton goods were firmer and higher today, on sales of moderate volume. Silk goods were quiet. Burlap markets showed no change. Outing flannels for fall will be priced after Jan. 1 by some of the larger firms.

LIGHT RECEIPTS ADVANCE PRICES OF ALL LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

HOGS.

Receipts, 10,000; shipments, 10,000.

Bulk of sales	$11.55@11.80
Heavy butchers	11.60@11.90
Butchers, 180@250 lbs.	11.60@11.85
Medium weights	11.40@11.70
Heavy and mixed packers	10.60@11.40
Rough and heavy packing	10.30@10.45
Light bacon, 160@190 lbs.	11.55@11.80
Selected, 140@155 lbs.	11.50@11.75
Pigs, poor to choice, 50@125 lb	8.00@11.80
Stags, subject to dockage	10.00@10.75

CATTLE.

Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 1,000.

Prime steers, 1,100@1,300 lbs.	$11.60@12.25
Good to choice, 1,050@1,500 lb	9.70@12.00
Poor to good, 900@1,400 lbs.	7.25@11.25
Yearlings, 700@1,100 lbs.	10.25@13.50
Low grade killing steers	6.00@ 7.20
Bulk of beef steers	8.75@10.35
Fat cows and heifers	6.50@11.00
Canners and cutters	3.60@ 4.75
Bulls, poor to choice	4.50@ 7.00
Poor to best calves	6.50@12.50
Stockers and feeders	5.75@ 8.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Receipts, 6,000; shipments, 1,000.

Wethers, poor to choice	$ 6.25@ 8.25
Ewes, fair to best	5.00@ 6.75
Yearlings, fair to best	7.50@10.50
Fed western lambs	11.50@13.25
Native lambs	11.00@13.15
Native lambs, culls	7.00@ 9.50

COMPARATIVE PRICES.

HOGS—Bulk of sales yesterday	$11.55@11.80
One month ago	11.35@11.65
One year ago	10.90@11.60
CATTLE—Bulk of sales yesterday	8.75@10.35
One month ago	8.75@10.35
One year ago	8.75@11.25
One year ago	7.85@10.50
SHEEP—Western range lambs yesterday	11.50@13.25
One month ago	12.00@14.00
One year ago	15.25@16.50

Curtailed supplies helped all branches of the live stock trade this week, in view of coming holidays, when demand usualy swings to poultry in preference to other meats, regardless of price. Hog prices broke 20@30c first three days on light receipts, but reacted sharply Thursday and finished 10@15c above the close of last week.

Yesterday's brief session in cattle ended an erratic week. High priced specialties in yearling steers recorded a 50@75c decline from the high point last week, while medium and heavy beeves featured the trade in a 75c to $1.00 advance from the recent low spot, bringing the highest prices in some time. General average price of good beef cattle dropped to $9.90, but stands above any corresponding period in more than five years.

Outsiders entered the hog market with orders calling for 10,000 head, equal to the fresh arrivals, resulting in a scramble for better grades at 10@20c advance, shippers meeting a brisk local competition from smaller houses. Only 1,000 remained at the close, including several loads arriving too late to share in the first upturn.

General hog average price moved up 15c at $11.70, highest in about two weeks, with top equaling the highest since Dec. 9 at $11.90. Large packers bought cheaper grades of packers mostly, to hold costs down, following an unsuccessful attempt to duplicate Thursday's purchases.

Allowing for the Saturday holiday this week, hog receipts for the five day period at 138,100 were smallest in two months, showing a 36,700 decrease compared with the six day period last week. Estimated average weight for the week at 232 lbs. stands heavier than the preceding two weeks, comparing with 237 lbs. a year ago and with 225 lbs. two years ago. The week's extreme top and general average prices moved up 15c at $11.90 and $11.55, respectively, the latter standing above any corresponding week in more than five years.

Lambs Recover Loss

A big share of the previous week's big decline in killing lambs was recovered in this week's trading, prices soaring 50@75c above last week's close, the lowest point since 1923. Receipts were smallest since the middle of June, at 52,000, the chief strengthening factor. Yesterday's short supply of 5,000 cleared readily at strong to higher prices, more than 1,000 Idaho lambs reaching $13.15, with several loads at $13.25 being within 10c of last week's peak.

The week's general average lamb price dropped to $12.00, a new low for the week, due to the big share of receipts released at low prices the first half of the week. Aged sheep finished strong to 25c higher, with yearlings 50c above a week earlier.

No business will be transacted in the Chicago stock yards today and all Christmas arrivals will be counted in with Monday's receipts which are estimated at 20,000 cattle, 40,000 hogs, and 17,000 sheep, against 22,835 cattle, 47,430 hogs, and 10,088 sheep last Monday, and 22,442 cattle, 49,420 hogs and 16,424 sheep a year ago. Next week's receipts are estimated at 60,000 cattle, 190,000 hogs and 85,000 sheep, against 49,972 cattle, 190,636 hogs and 85,000 sheep a year ago.

LIVE STOCK MOVEMENTS AT CHICAGO.

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
*Est. Dec 24.	2,000	700	10,000	5,000
This week	47,100	13,900	138,100	52,000
Prev week	74,821	12,556	114,765	110,729
Year ago	40,584	11,361	138,864	51,664
Shipments—				
*Est Dec 24	1,000	100	10,000	1,000
This week	15,500	1,000	44,900	16,500
Prev week	22,589	845	55,145	36,529
Year ago	14,373	937	47,007	19,981

*Saturday, Dec. 25, holiday.

CHICAGO HOG BUYING.

Hog purchases by Chicago packers Friday, the last week and for 1926 to date, follow:

	Friday, Dec. 24.	This Week.	1926 to Date.
Armour & Co.	800	11,200	514,400
Anglo-Amer	400	3,200	165,600
Swift & Co.	400	7,800	525,000
Hammond Co	300	3,800	234,000
Morris & Co.	200	5,200	341,200
Wilson & Co.	900	9,400	501,500
Boyd-Lunham	200	4,400	252,800
Western P Co.	600	7,100	394,100
Roberts & Oake	....	....	260,400
Miller & Hart	400	5,200	222,800
Indep P Co.	....	4,200	187,800
Brennan P Co.	500	4,500	289,800
Agar P Co.	....	5,300	120,500
Others	1,000	2,300	1,139,100
Totals	5,700	26,300	5,148,900
Prev week	5,500	90,900	
Year ago	8,900	126,900	5,766,000
1924	15,200	97,100	7,909,700
1923	10,800	159,100	8,465,000
		160,400	

RECEIPTS AT TWENTY MARKETS.

Combined receipts of cattle, hogs, and sheep at twenty markets follow:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep
This week	196,000	583,000	197,000
Prev. week	308,000	690,000	312,000
Year ago	183,000	516,000	177,000
'26 to date	14,462,000	29,857,000	16,207,000
Year ago	14,839,000	33,173,000	14,968,000
1924	14,480,000	42,147,000	14,801,000

Combined receipts of cattle, hogs, and sheep for 1926 to date at twenty markets total 60,526,000, against 62,480,000 the same period a year ago and 71,428,000 two years ago.

OUTSIDE LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TOP HOG PRICES.

Top hogs at twelve markets averaged 20c higher than Thursday. Comparative top prices follow:

	Fri. Dec.24.	Thur. Dec.23.	Sat. Dec.18.	Year Ago.
Kan. City	$11.60	$11.50	$11.50	$11.65
Omaha	11.60	11.35	11.45	11.10
St. Louis	12.00	11.55	11.90	12.25
St. Joseph	11.65	11.50	11.50	11.55
Sioux City	11.60	11.35	11.40	11.40
Average	$12.00	$11.80	$11.80	$11.85

·NEW YORK· BOND· TRANSACTIONS·

GENERAL BOND MARKET.

FOREIGN.

No. thous.	High.	Low.	Close.
1 Alpine M Stl 7s '55..	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
9 Antioquia 7s A '45..	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
5 do 7s B '45	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
3 Argentine 7s '27	100	100	100
45 do 6s '57 A	98	98	98
3 do 6s '58 B	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
26 do S F 6s '59 June..	98	97⅞	97⅞
18 do S F 6s '59 Oct..	98	97⅞	97⅞
13 do S F 6s '60 May	98	97⅞	97⅞
20 do S F 6s '60 Oct	98	97⅞	97⅞
2 Australia 5s '55	97⅞	97⅞	98
6 Austrian Gov 7s '43	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞
1 Belgium 7½s '45	110⅛	110⅛	110⅛
95 do 7s '55	101⅛	110⅛	110⅛
40 do 6½s '49	101⅛	100⅞	100⅞
15 do 6s '55	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
68 do 7s '56 ctf	91⅞	91⅞	91⅞
38 Berlin 6½s '50	100	99⅞	100
2 Bogota 8s '45	97⅞	97⅞	97⅞
12 Bolivia Rep 8s '47	104⅛	103	103
30 Bordeaux City 6s '34	92⅞	104⅛	104⅛
9 Brazil 8s '41	104⅛	92⅞	92⅞
9 do Cent Ry 7s '52	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
24 do 6½s '57	95⅛	95	95⅛
2 Bremen 7s '35	89⅛	89	89⅛
2 Bulg 7½s '67 w i	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
17 Caldas 7½s '46	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
5 Canada 5½s '29	98⅛	98	98
3 do 5s '31	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
3 do 5s '52	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
2 Chile 8s '41	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
2 do 7s '42	108	108	108
516 do 6s '60 rcts	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1 Chin 5s [H K] '51	93	92⅞	92⅞
3 Cologne 6½s '50	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
59 Comp As Ant 7½s'39	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
11 C H E W U W 7s '56	96	95⅞	96
2 Copenhagen 5½s '44	101⅛	100⅛	101⅛
10 Cordoba 7s '42	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
6 Cuba 5½s '53	97⅞	97⅛	97⅛
5 Czecho-Sl Rp 7½s '45	102⅛	103	102⅛
1 Dan Mun 8s A '46	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
5 do 8s B '46	109⅛	109⅛	109⅛
2 Denmark 6s '42	109⅛	109⅛	109⅛
1 Dutch E I 6s '47	104⅛	103⅛	104⅛
3 do 5½s '53 Mar	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
3 do 5½s '53 Nov	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1 El P Germ 6½s '50	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
36 Est R R 7s '54	94⅛	94	94
6 Fiat 7s '46	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
2 Finland 6s '45	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
10 do 7s '50	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
1 do 6½s '56 rcts	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
1 Finnish 6½s A '54	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
1 do 6½s B '54	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
38 Framarian ID 7½s'42	98⅛	97⅞	97⅞
27 FNMSS 7s '49	94	93⅞	93⅞
42 French Rep 8s '45	107⅞	107⅛	107⅞
14 do 7½s '41	104⅛	103⅛	103⅛
62 do 7s '49	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
2 Ger C A Bk 7s '50	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
4 Ger Ext Ln 7s '49	106	106	106
3 G G El 6½s '40 war	112	112	112
2 do 6½s '40 ex war	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞
7 GCEPofJ 7s '44	98	97⅞	98
9 Greek Gov 7s '64	95	93⅞	95
3 Haiti Rep 6s '52	99⅛	99⅞	99⅛
2 Hung Mun 7½s '45	100	100	100
9 Ind Bk of J 6s '27	97⅛	97	97
17 Int Ry C A 5s '72	75⅛	75	75⅛
5 do 6s '41	95	95	95
49 Italy 7s '51	92⅞	92⅛	92⅞
31 Italian P U 7s '52	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛
16 Jap Gov 6½s '54	100	99⅞	100
2 do 2d 4s '31	90	90	90
11 Jurgens Ant 6s '47	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
7 Leipzig 7s '47	100	100	100
6 L A H E 6½s '44	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
14 Lyons City 6s '34	92⅞	92⅞	92⅞
18 Marseilles 6s '34	92⅞	92⅞	92⅞
10 Mex 6s '33 lg asst	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛
15 do 6s '33 small asst	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛
6 do 5s '45 asst	42⅛	42	42⅛
15 do 4s '04-54 asst	27	27	27
2 do 4s '10 lge asst	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
15 do 4s '10 small asst	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
3 Montev 7s '52	102	101⅞	102
13 Mtg Bk Chile 6½s '55	96⅛	96	96⅛
6 do 6½s '61	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
24 Nethlds 6s '54	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
23 Nord Ry 6½s '50	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛
23 Nwy King 6s '53	102	102	102
5 do 6s '44	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
3 do 6s '52	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
6 do 5½s '65	99	99	99
7 Ori Dev Ltd 6s '53	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
2 Oslo 6s '55	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
75 Paris L & M 7s '54	95⅛	94⅞	95⅛
110 do 6s '58	85⅛	85	85⅛
13 Paris Orl Ry 7s '54	94⅛	94	94
11 Peru 7½s '40	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
37 Poland 8s '50	93	93	93
1 do 6s '40	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛
3 Prague Cd 7½s '52	104	104	104
5 Queensld St 7s '41	111⅛	111⅛	111⅛
2 do 6s '47	104⅛	104	104
16 Rhin Un 7s '46 war	115⅛	115⅛	115⅛
17 do 7s '46 ex war	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
1 Rio de J 8s '46	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
3 Santa Fe [Arg] 7s'42	94⅛	94	94
5 Sao Paulo St 8s '36	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
9 do 8s '50	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
4 do 7s '56 rcts	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
14 Saxon P Wks 7s '45	101⅛	101	101⅛
44 Seine [Fr] 7s '42	96	95⅞	96
3 Serbs C & S 8s '62	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
5 Soissons City 6s '36	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛
3 Sweden King 6s '39	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
15 do 5½s '54	103	102⅞	103
3 Swiss Gov 5½s '46	103	102⅞	102⅞
10 Toho El Pw 7s '55	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
11 do 6s '20 rcts	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
7 Tokio E L 6s '28	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
1 Unigawa E P 7s '45	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
13 UKGBsI 5½s '37	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
17 USSofC 6s '37	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
9 Up Aust Prov 7s '45	94	94	94
1 Uruguay 6s '60	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
21 Yokohama 6s '61	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛

DOMESTIC.

No. thous.	High.	Low.	Close.
1 Ajax Rub 8s '36	107	107	107
5 Alas Gold 6s B '26	3	3	3
2 Alb & Sus 3½s '46	87	87	87
10 Am Ag Ch 7½s '41	104⅛	104	104
4 Am Chain deb 6s '33	101⅛	101	101⅛
37 Am Sm&Ref 5s '47	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
12 Am Sugar 6s '37	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
2 Am T&T 5½s '43	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
15 do S F 5s 1960	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
3 do col 5s 1946	103⅛	103	103⅛
3 do col 4s 1929	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
5 Am Type F 6s '40	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
2 Am WWks&E 5s '34	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
12 Am Writ P 6s '39	60⅛	59⅛	60
3 do 6s ct	60	60	60
11 Anac Cop M 7s '38	109⅛	109⅛	109⅛
11 do 6s 1953	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
7 Andes Cop 7s 1943	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
17 Anglo Ch CnNit7s'45	88	87⅞	87⅞
13 Armour & Co rl est of Del 5½s '43	95	94⅞	94⅞
17 AT&SF gen 4s '95	93	92⅞	92⅞
8 do adj 4s stpd '95	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
5 do cvt 4s 1905	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
10 At&Chr 4s E Ok div '28	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
10 AtlCL 1st con 4s '52	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
10 do unified 4½s '64	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
6 do L&N col tr 4s '52	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
35 Atl Gulf&WI 5s '59	71	70⅞	71
1 Atl Ref deb 5s '37	101	101	101
79 Balt&Ohio 6s '29	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
20 do Ref&G 6s C '95	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
15 do 1st Gold 5s '48	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
15 do Ref 5s 1995	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
9 do deb 5s 2000	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
16 do cvt 4½s 1933	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
6 do gold 4s 1948	94	93⅞	93⅞
19 do4s PLE&WVdiv'41	93	93⅛	93⅛
2 do 5s S W div '50	102⅛	92⅞	93
16 Barns deb 6s '40 war	99⅛	102⅛	102⅛
8 Bell T of Pa 5s B'48	104	99⅛	99⅛
3 do 5s C 1960	104	104	104
24 Beth Stl con 6s '48	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
24 do con 5½s 1953	97⅛	96⅞	97⅛
28 Botany 6½s 1934	91⅛	91	91
3 Brk Edis 5s '49	104⅛	103⅛	104⅛
34 Brk M Tr 6s '66	99	98⅛	99
25 Brk U Gas 5½s '36	162⅛	162⅛	162⅛
5 Buff R & P 4½s '57	94	94	94
3 Bush Ter con 5s '55	96	95⅛	95⅛
3 do bldg 5s 1960	102	100	100
1 BCR&N 1st 5s '34	101	101	101
27 Calif Pet 5½s '38	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
11 Can Nat 4½s 1930	99⅛	98⅛	98⅛
25 Can Nor Ry 4½s '35	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
1 Caro C & O 6s '52	108	108	108
1 C of Ga Ry 6s '29	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
1 do Ref 5½s 1959	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
6 C Leath S F 6s '45	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
4 C New Eng 4s '61	78⅛	78	78⅛
2 Cen Pac gtd 4s '49	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
5 do gtd 5s 1960	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1 Cent Steel 8s 1941	119⅛	119⅛	119⅛
23 Ch & Ohio ref 5s '29	101⅛	100⅞	101⅛
7 do cv 4½s 1930	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
10 CB&Q gen 4s 1958	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
10 do 1st&rfg 5s 1971	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
2 do 3½s Ill div '49	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
16 C&EI gen 5s 1951	81	80⅞	81
6 C & Erie 1st 5s '82	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
10 C Gt West 4s '59	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛
10 C Ind & L 5s 1966	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
17 CM&StP 1st Sec6s'34	104⅛	104	104⅛
2 do cv 5s 2014	55⅛	55⅛	55⅛
1 do cv 5s ct	55⅛	55⅛	55⅛
3 do gen 4½s 1989	96	96	96
8 do rfg 4½s 2014	57	57	57
1 do deb 4s 1934	55⅛	55⅛	55⅛
1 C & Northw 7s '30	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
14 Chgo Rys Co 5s '27	74⅛	74⅛	74⅛
19 CRI&Pac gen 4s '88	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
5 do gen 4s reg	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
21 do rfg 4s 1934	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
20 CStL&NO 5s M div'51	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
3 C T H & S E 5s '60	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
2 do Inc 5s 1960	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
14 Chile Cop 6s 1932	110⅛	110⅛	110⅛
20 Cities Ser P&L 6s '44	98⅛	98	98
7 CCC&StL ref6sA'20	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
1 do 6s C 1941	107	107	107
2 do deb 4½s 1931	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
2 Clev U Tr 5s '73	104	104	104
5 Col F & I gn 5s '43	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
14 Col Ind 5s '34	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
1 Cont Cables 4s 2397	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛
16 C G of N Y 5½s '45	106	105⅞	105⅞
7 Con Cigars 8s '36	100⅛	100	100
1 Cons Gas Chi 5s '36	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
5 Cont P & B 6½ '44	75	75	75
6 Crown W Pap 6s '51	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
3 Cuba C deb 8s '30	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
1 do cv deb 7s '30	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
1 Cuba R R 7½s '36	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
2 Cuba Nor Ry 6s '66	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
1 Cub-Am Sug 8s '37	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
1 Cub D Sug 7½s '44	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
10 Cuyamel Fr 6s '40	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
2 Del & Hud 7s '30	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
10 do cvt 5s '35	117	117	117
10 do rfg 4s '43	94	93⅛	93⅛
2 Den G & El L 5s '51	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
2 D & R G imp 5s '28	100	100	100
9 do 1st con 4s '36	91⅛	91	91⅛
38 D & R G W 5s '55	74⅛	74	74
7 Det Edi 1st 6s '40	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
2 do ref 5s '49	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛

Total sales, par value....$ 7,842,000. Friday, Dec. 24, 1926. Year ago .... Holiday

Total 1926, par value.... 2,773,186,000 Previous year $3,345,916,000

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAR LOANS.

Sales in thous.	Issue—	High.	Low.	Last.	Net chge.	Closing— Bid.	Asked.	Yield.	Dec. 24, 1925.
146	Liberty 3½s, 1932-'47	100.21	100.21	100.21	....	100.30	100.31	3.33	99.32
25	Liberty 3½s, reg	100.28	100.28	100.28—	.1	....	....	....	....
....	Liberty 1st cv 4s, 1932-'47	....	....	....	....	100.16	....	3.90	100.4
....	Liberty 1st 2d cv 4½s, 1927-'42	....	....	....	....	100.5	....	3.79	....
5	Liberty 1st cv 4¼s, 1932-'47	....	....	....	....	102.10	....	....	....
72	Liberty 2d cv 4¼s, 1927-'42	102.21	102.21	102.21—	.4	102.20	102.26	3.75	101.24
100	Liberty 2d cv 4¼s, reg	100.30	100.28	100.30+	.3	100.28	100.30	3.60	100.30
224	Liberty 3d 4¼s, 1928	100.27	100.27	100.27+	.1	....	....	....	100.15
67	Liberty 4th 4¼s, 1933-'38	101.14	101.12	101.12—	.1	101.13	101.14	3.53	100.30
101	Liberty 4th 4¼s, reg	103.3	103.00	103.3	.3	103.2	103.3	3.74	102.00
5	U. S. Treasury 4½s, 1947-'52	103.00	103.30	102.20+	.1	....	....	....	101.28
6	U. S. Treasury 4s, 1944-'54	109.20	109.17	109.17—	.2	109.16	1.0922	3.61	....
6	U. S. Treasury 3¾s, 1946-'56	105.23	105.21	105.21+	.3	105.20	105.22	3.58	102.30
		102.26	102.24	102.24+	.1	102.23	102.26	3.55	....

Note—Fractions on United States government bonds, including net changes, are quoted in thirty-seconds of 1 per cent.

No. thous.	High.	Low.	Close.
7 do 5s '55	103	102⅞	102⅞
50 Dodge Bros 6s '40	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
2 Detd Pkg 1st 6s '42	90⅛	90	90⅛
2 Dom I & St 5s '39	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛
1 Donner Stl 7s '42	96	96	96
2 East C Sug 7½s '37	107⅞	107⅛	107⅛
5 El Paso & S W 5s '65	105⅛	104⅞	104⅞
21 Emp G & F 6½s '41	100⅛	100	100
6 Erie gen ln 4s '96	74⅛	74	74⅛
1 do con 4s s A '53	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛
1 do 4s series B '53	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛
86 do 4s series D '53	85⅛	85	85
10 Fed L & T 6s '42	103	103	103
4 do 6s B '54	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
15 Franc Sug 7½s '42	107	106⅞	107
28 Florid E Coast 5s '74	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
1 Fond J & G 4½s '52	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛
3 Ft Smith Lt 5s '36	89	89	89
1 Ft W&R G 1st 4s '28	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
1 Gen Elec 3½s '42	91	91	91
20 Gen Petrol 5s '40	101	101	101
6 Goodr Rub 6½s '47	106⅛	106	106⅛
5 Gdyr Tire 8s '31	110⅛	110	110
5 do 8s '41	121	120⅛	120⅛
45 Granby Min 7s '30	136⅛	135⅛	135⅛
34 Gt North 7s '36	114	113⅛	113⅛
1 do 5½s '52	108	108	108
86 do 5s '73	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
54 do 4½s '76	94⅛	94	94⅛
2 do 4½s '61	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
8 Hers Choc 5½s '40	102	101⅞	102
1 H & M ref 5s s A '57	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
8 do adj inc 5s '57	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛
22 Humb Oil 5½s '32	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
1 Illi B Tel rfg 5s '56	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
4 Ill Cen 5½s '34	108	108	108
32 do 3s '66	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
5 do 4s '52	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛
6 IC&StL&NOJ 5s '63	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
3 Inland Stl 5½s '45	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
22 Inter R Tr 7s '32	98⅛	98	98⅛
7 do 6s '32	83⅛	82⅞	83⅛
53 do ref 5s '66	79	78⅛	78⅛
93 do 5s stpd '66	78⅛	78	78⅛
8 I & Gt Nor 1st 6s '52	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
17 do adj 6s '52	85⅛	85	85
45 Int Mer Ma sf 6s '41	96⅛	95⅛	96
23 Int Pap 5s A '47	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
29 do ref 6s '55	100	99⅛	99⅛
397 Int T & T cv 5½s '45	110⅛	110⅛	110⅛
6 Iowa Cent 1st 5s '38	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛
1 K C Ft S & M 4s '36	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
1 K C P & L 5s '52	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
18 K C Sou 5s '50	99⅛	99	99
5 K C Term 1st 4s '60	88⅛	88⅛	88⅛
3 Kas G & El 6s '52	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
1 Kayser J 7s '42	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
1 Kinney Co 7½s '36	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
1 Kresge Fnd 6s '36	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
4 LG of StL 1st 5s '34	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
20 do 5½s '53	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
18 Liq Carboric 6 '41	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
17 Lews Inc 6s 1941	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
8 Lou G&E rfg 5s '52	100⅛	99⅛	99⅛
7 L & N 5½s A 2003	108	108	108
10 do unified 4s '40	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
46 do South Ry 4s '52	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
2 Manati Sug 7½s '42	105	105	105
38 Manh Ry con 4s '90	69⅛	68⅛	69
9 Market St Ry 7s '40	97	97	97
5 Metro Ed rfg 6s '52	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
6 Mich Cent deb 4s '29	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
7 Mid Con Pet 6½s '40	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
72 Midvale Stl 5s '36	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
29 Milw E Ry & L 5s '61	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
2 do 4½s '31	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
1 Milwaukee G L 4s '27	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
1 MStP&SSM 6½s '31	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
10 do 5s '38 gtd	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
5 M K & T 6s C '32	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
2 do prior 5s A '62	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
185 do adj 5s '67	96⅛	95⅛	96⅛
4 do pr lien 4s ser B '62	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛
9 Miss Pac con 6s '49	106⅛	106	106⅛
4 do ref 6s E '55	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
7 do rfg 5s '65	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
36 do gen 4s '75	78⅛	76⅛	76⅛
1 M&O 1st 6s '27 nw	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
3 Mont P 5s ser A '43	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
11 Morr&Co 1st 4½s '39	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
5 Murray Bdy 6½s '34	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
12 Nassau El 4s '51	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛
20 Nat Acme 7½s '31	102	102	102
6 Nat Dairy Pr 6s '40	100⅛	101	100⅛
32 Nat R R of Mex 4½s '57 Jul '14 cp on	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
17 do 4s '77 Ap'14cp on	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
7 N Eng T & T 5s '52	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
1 New Or P Se5sB'55ct	96	96	96
4 Nw O T&M 5½s '54	105⅛	104⅞	104⅞
23 do 5s B '45	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1 NYC&HR 5s 2013	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
12 do rfg and I 4½s2013	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
2 do deb 4s '34	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
15 do con 4s '98	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛
6 NYC&StL 6s A '31	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
5 do 5½s '74	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
2 N Y Edison 6½s '41	115⅛	115⅛	115⅛
11 do 1st ref 5s '44	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
2 NYGELH&Pcol5s'48	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
1 NYNH&H clt 6s '40	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
5 do cv 6s '48	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
4 do deb 4s '47	78	77⅞	78
3 N Y & Put 4s '93	77	77	77
1 NYO&W 1stref 4s '92	72⅛	72	72⅛
129 N Y Rys inc 6s '65	85⅛	85	85
3 do 6s A '65	53⅛	53⅛	53⅛
8 N Y State Ry 4½s '62	54	53⅛	53⅛
2 N Y Tel deb 6s '41	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
17 do 6s '49	110⅛	110⅛	110⅛
6 NYW&Bost 4½s '46	79⅛	79	79⅛
1 Nig Falls Pw 5s '32	102	102	102
5 NigL&OP 1stref5s'55	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
5 Norf&S rfg 5s A '61	92⅛	92	92
1 do 1st gold 5s '41	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
11 Norf&West con 4s '96	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
10 N Am Ed 6½s '48	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
6 Nor O Tr&L 6s '47	96⅛	96	96⅛
7 North Pac 6s 2047	113⅛	112⅞	113⅛
5 do 5s C 2047	103	103	103
9 do 5s D 2047	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
10 do prior lien 4s '97	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
3 do 4½s 2047	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
10 North St Pw 5s '41	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
6 Orden & L C 4s '48	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛
3 Ohio P Serv 7s '42	114⅛	114⅛	114⅛
3 Or Short L rfg 4s '29	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
6 Or-Wash RR&N4s '61	87	87	87
3 Otis Steel 6s '41	94	94	94
1 Pac Coast 1st 5s '46	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
9 Pac G & E 5s '42	100⅛	100	100
29 Pac P & L 5s '30	100	99⅛	100
4 Pac T & T 5s '37	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
6 do 5s '52	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
8 Param Bdwy 5½s '51	98	98	98
1 Pan-A P & T 7s '30	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
12 do cv 6s '34	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
5 Penn R R 7s '30	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
2 do 6½s '36	112	112	112
6 do 5s '64	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
32 do gen 4½s '65	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
6 Penn Dix Cent 6s '41	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
3 Peor & Ea 1st 4s '40	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛
4 do income 4s '90	42⅛	42⅛	42⅛
4 Pere Marq ref 5s '56	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
25 Phil Co rfg 6s '44	104⅛	104	104
3 Pierce-Ar deb 8s '43	108	108	108
30 P C C&St L 5s A '70	107	107	107
10 do 5s B '75	107	107	107
10 P Arth Can 6s '53 A	105	105	105
5 Portl El Pw 6s '47	100	100	100
3 Portl Ry L & P 5s '42	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
4 Press Stl Car 5s '33	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
1 Pub S E&G 5½s '59	105	105	105
10 do 5½s '64	105	105	105
3 P Ser of N J 6s '44	104	104⅛	104⅛
7 Punta All 7s '37	111⅛	111⅛	111⅛
38 Rand Kard 5½s '31	130	130	130
18 Read Coal 4½s '97	98	98	98
3 Remingt Arms 6s '37	96	96	96
23 Rep I & S rfg 5½s '53	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
20 Rio Gr So 4s '40	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
2 Roch Gas 7s '46	111⅛	111⅛	111⅛
1 do 5½s '48	106	106	106
5 StLIM&S4sR&GdI '33	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
4 St L & S Fr 5½s '42	99⅛	99	99
30 do pr lien 4s A '50	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛
8 do 5s ser B '50	100⅛	99⅛	100⅛
5 do gen 6s ser C '28	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
11 do adj 6s '55	99⅛	99	99⅛
45 do inc 6s '60	96	95⅛	95⅛
8 StL S-Wter 1st 4s '89	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
8 StP & KCSL 4½s '41	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
1 StP M & M con 4s '33	98	98	98
6 Schul Co 6½s B '46	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
62 Seab Air L con 6s '45	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
1 do rfg 4s '59	72⅛	72⅛	72⅛
56 do adj 5s '49	83	82⅞	83
2 Seab Al Fla 6s '35	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛
5 Sierra&S F Pw 5s '49	95	95	95
8 Silesian Am 7s '41	95⅛	95	95
11 Sinclair Oil 7s '37	98	97⅞	98
53 do 6½s '38	93⅛	92⅞	93
5 do 6s '27	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
26 do Crude 6s '28	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
4 do Pipe Line 5s '42	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
5 Simms Petr 6s '29	101	101	101
5 South Col Pw 6s '47	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1 So P Ric Sug 7s '41	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
1 Southw Bell T 5s'54	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
2 South Pac cvt 4s '29	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
2 do rfg 4s '55	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
2 do San Fr term 4s '50	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛
37 South Ry 6s '56	113⅛	113⅛	113⅛
1 do con 5s '94	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
73 do gen 4s '56	86⅛	86	86⅛
2 Stl & T of A 7s '51	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
29 St Oil N J deb 5s '46	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1 Stevens Hotel 6s '45	100	100	100
6 Superior Oil 7s '29	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
9 Tenn El Pw 6s '47	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
245 Third Av adj 5s '60	65	64⅛	64⅛
1 Toledo Ed 7s '41	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
1 Un El L & P 5s '33	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
3 Un Oil of Cal 5s '31	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1 Un Pacific 6s '28	102	102	102
3 do 1st 4s '47	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
3 Un Drug 6s '44	107	107	107
3 Un Fuel Gas 6s '36	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
14 Un St Rubber 5s '47	95	95	95
2 U S Steel s f 5s '63	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
1 Un St Realty 6s '42	105	105	105
3 Utah L & Trac 5s '44	94	94	94
4 Utah Pw & L 5s '44	98	97⅛	97⅛

No. thous.	High.	Low.	Close.
5 Vera Cruz 4½s '34	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
6 Vertientes Sug 7s '42	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
5 Virg Midl Gen 5s '36	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
2 Wabash 5½s '75	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
1 Walworth 6½s '35	94	94	94
6 Warner Sug 1st 7s '41	93⅛	92⅛	93⅛
9 do rfg 7s '39	74⅛	74⅛	74⅛
1 W Penna 5s ct '56	100	100	100
8 do 5s A '46	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1 do 5s E '63	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
1 West Maryland 4s '52	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛
2 West Pacific 5s '46	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
5 West Union 6½s '36	111⅛	111⅛	111⅛
56 do real estate 4½s '50	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
1 West Va C & C 6s '50	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛
10 Westingh El 5s '46	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
13 Wheeling Stl 5½s '48	97	97	97
1 Willys-Overl 6½s '33	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
11 Wils & Co 1st 6s '41	102	101⅛	101⅛
1 Winch Arms 7½s '41	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
12 Youngst S&T 6s '43	104	103⅛	104

FARM AND GARDEN BY FRANK RIDGWAY

WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU OPEN VEGETABLE PIT.

Christmas day is the time when many gardeners open their winter stored vegetables for the first time. Gardeners must use great care in handling the crops after the pits or storage bins have been opened. If the vegetables stored outdoors have not been put in small pits so that the entire lot can be moved indoors it is necessary to stuff the opening with old rags and cover the hole with dirt to prevent subsequent freezing of the leaf and root crops.

Experienced gardeners who use outdoor pits often store their vegetables in small lots to avoid the necessity of closing the pit. Just enough vegetables are kept in a pit for use before they have time to deteriorate. Resorting stored vegetables and fruits is a good practice at this time of the year. All of the bruised or unsound vegetables should be thrown away. One or two decaying roots or cabbage heads may soon cause the loss of the entire pit of vegetables.

Vegetables deteriorate rapidly if taken out of the pits and kept in the steam heated kitchen of the average city home. The surplus vegetables that are to be used during the holidays should be stored temporarily in the basement. Evaporation is rapid where they are kept in a warm room or near the furnace in a basement. Store them in boxes or baskets lined with straw and put them as far away from the furnace as possible. A basement window may be left open as long as the temperature is above freezing.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

The official forecast for today and tomorrow and yesterday's table of records follow:

Indiana—Fair Saturday; Sunday increasing cloudiness with rising temperature; unsettled in north portion.

Wisconsin—Generally fair; slowly rising temperature Saturday; Sunday unsettled; warmer east and south portions, probably some snow or rain.

Ohio—Partly cloudy and colder Saturday; Sunday increasing cloudiness with rising temperature followed by rain.

Lower Michigan—Mostly fair Saturday; slightly colder in extreme east portion; Sunday cloudy with rising temperature, probably snow or rain by or before night.

Upper Michigan—Mostly fair Saturday; slightly colder extreme east portion; Sunday probably snow with rising temperature.

Missouri—Fair Saturday, followed by increasing cloudiness Sunday; rising temperature.

Iowa—Fair with rising temperature Saturday; Sunday unsettled, probably local snow or rain east and central portions; warmer east and south portions.

Minnesota—Increasing cloudiness with rising temperature Saturday; unsettled in north-west portion; probably some snow Saturday night or Sunday.

Place of observation. State of weather Dec. 24, 1926, 7 p. m. Central time.	Direction of wind	Temp. 7 p. m.	Highest today.	Lowest last night.	Precipitation 24 hours.
Eastern states—					
Albany, cloudy	S.	34	34	32	.04
Atlanta, rain	E.	44	46	42	.10
Boston, rain	E.	38	40	34	.08
Buffalo, cloudy	W.	32	35	24	.06
Charleston, cloudy	S.E.	58	58	34	.01
New York, cloudy	E.	36	40	32	....
Parkersburg, rain	S.W.	48	50	38	.04
Philadelphia, rain	S.W.	42	42	30	.12
Pittsburgh, cloudy	S.W.	46	46	36	....
Raleigh, rain	S.W.	46	46	36	.04
Washington, cloudy	S.W.	42	42	30	.14
Gulf states—					
Abilene, cloudy	N.	30	32	32	.24
Amarillo, cloudy	E.	20	28	22	.08
El Paso, snow	E.	26	34	26	.12
Forth Worth, cloudy	N.W.	32	32	32	.12
Galveston, cloudy	N.	50	68	44	.18
Jacksonville, cloudy	S.E.	68	72	66	2.12
Miami, cloudy	S.E.	74	76	70	....
Mobile, cloudy	S.E.	66	72	58	....
Montgomery, clear	S.E.	58	68	56	....
New Orleans, cloudy	S.	78	80	70	.02
San Antonio, cloudy	N.	42	56	42	.08
Shreveport, rain	N.	40	54	38	.98
Tampa, cloudy	E.	72	78	64	....
Vicksburg, rain	N.	50	64	54	2.12
East central states—					
Alpena, cloudy	W.	26	28	22	.04
Cairo, cloudy	N.W.	30	48	30	.10
Chicago, clear	N.W.	21	36	20	.01
Cincinnati, cloudy	W.	36	46	36	.04
Cleveland, cloudy	W.	32	38	32	.12
Detroit, cloudy	W.	28	36	24	.07
Escanaba, snow	N.W.	14	26	12	.08
Evansville, cloudy	N.W.	34	42	32	.20
Fort Wayne, cloudy	W.	26	36	26	.14
Grand Haven, snow	N.W.	26	36	26	.14
Grand Rapids, snow	N.W.	26	36	26	.26
Green Bay, clear	N.W.	20	32	20	.02
Indianapolis, cloudy	N.W.	20	32	20	.06
Madison, clear	N.W.	18	26	18	.14
Marquette, cloudy	N.W.	20	26	18	.06
Memphis, rain	N.W.	36	52	36	.08
Milwaukee, clear	N.W.	20	28	20	....
Nashville, rain	W.	42	52	42	1.18
Peoria, clear	N.W.	18	30	18	....
Saulte Ste. Marie, cldy	N.W.	22	24	20	1.60
Springfield, Ill., clear	N.W.	18	24	18	.02
West central states—					
Bismarck, clear	S.	16	20	—8	....
Charles City, clear	N.W.	8	18	8	.02
Concordia, clear	W.	12	16	12	....
Davenport, clear	N.W.	12	18	12	.01
Des Moines, clear	N.W.	16	20	16	.02
Devils Lake, clear	S.	10	14	—14	....
Dodge City, clear	N.W.	24	32	16	....
Dubuque, clear	N.W.	12	18	10	....
Duluth, clear	S.	8	12	2	....
Huron, clear	S.	6	6	—6	....
Kansas City, clear	N.	16	24	16	.06
Keokuk, clear	N.W.	18	24	18	....
Little Rock, cloudy	N.W.	30	44	30	....
Moorhead, clear	S.	4	8	—10	....
North Platte, clear	W.	10	16	10	.02
Oklahoma City, clear	N.W.	24	34	24	....
Omaha, cloudy	N.	16	18	6	....
Rapid City, clear	S.W.	22	22	0	....
Sioux City, clear	N.	14	16	4	....
St. Louis, cloudy	N.W.	24	32	24	....
Minneapolis, clear	S.W.	2	8	—2	.04
Springfield, Mo., cloudy	N.W.	22	32	22	.08
Wichita, cloudy	N.W.	22	24	22	....
Williston, clear	S.W.	14	16	—8	....
Mountain states—					
Boise, snow	S.E.	28	28	6	....
Cheyenne, clear	S.W.	32	32	0	....
Denver, clear	S.W.	32	32	4	....
Havre, cloudy	S.W.	32	34	—10	....
Helena, cloudy	S.E.	24	32	—10	....
Lander, cloudy	N.	10	10	—4	....
Miles City, cloudy	N.	10	18	—14	....
Phoenix, clear	N.	50	50	36	....
Pueblo, clear	S.	24	36	10	.06
Salt Lake City, cloudy	S.W.	18	22	10	....
Yellowstone Pk., snow	S.	10	22	—2	.01
Pacific states—					
Fresno, clear	S.E.	40	42	32	....
Los Angeles, clear	S.	52	56	52	....
Portland, Ore., cloudy	S.E.	44	44	32	.40
San Diego, clear	N.E.	56	60	48	.04
San Francisco, cloudy	S.W.	50	52	44	....
Seattle, Wash., cloudy	S.	46	48	36	....
Spokane, Wash., snow	S.W.	30	32	16	.14
Canadian—					
Battleford, cloudy	N.E.	4	4	—14	.01
Calgary, cloudy	N.W.	26	34	2	....
Edmonton, clear	W.	20	30	0	....
Medicine Hat, cloudy	S.W.	30	32	2	....
Minnedosa, cloudy	Calm	4	4	—2	....
Montreal, snow	S.W.	30	30	10	.04
Quebec, snow	Calm	24	24	10	.01
Qu' Appelle, cloudy	S.W.	18	12	—4	....
The Pas, cloudy	S.W.	0	4	—20	....
Toronto, cloudy	S.W.	36	40	28	.04
Winnipeg, cloudy	S.E.	0	0	—18	....

GRAINS ARE HELD IN NARROW RANGE IN HOLIDAY TRADE

BY CHARLES MICHAELS.

A holiday trade was on in all grain markets, with prices holding within narrow limits. Wheat had a range of ⅝@1c and closed ⅝c lower to ⅛c higher, with December showing the decline, finishing about 1c under the May, against ⅝c under on Thursday. December was $1.39⅝ at the last, with May $1.40⅝@1.40¾, and July $1.32¼.

Corn and oats finished unchanged to ⅝c lower; December corn was 72⅝@72⅞c; May, 81⅝@81⅝c, and July 84⅝c, with December oats 45⅝c; May 50⅛c, and July 48⅛@48⅛c. Rye was ⅛c higher to ⅛c lower, with December 94⅝c, and May $1.00⅛.

Deliveries of wheat on December contracts aggregated 258,000 bu, some of the grain being put out by houses that took it in early in the month, and there was scattered liquidation by tired holders which carried the price down to $1.39. Demand for cash grains was slow, although premiums were little changed for the day. Bulk of the day's trade was of a local character with fairly general evening up by the pit element at the last.

Foreign Markets Easier.

Foreign markets showed a heavy undertone with Buenos Aires 1c lower at the last. Broomhall's agent estimates the Argentine surplus at 166,000,000 bu, or 9,000,000 more than recently, and 10,000 bu new grain cleared for Europe the last week. Liverpool was ⅛ to ⅝d lower, with clearance of more than 2,000,000 bu from Australia a factor. Winnipeg finished ⅛c lower to ¼c higher.

December corn acted a little heavy, and went to a wider discount under the May, with the continued slow cash demand, bearish construction placed on the government pig report of the previous day, and forecast for fair and colder weather factors. However, there was no material pressure on the market, and the deferred deliveries held within a range of ⅝c. Country offerings remain small, despite predictions of an increased movement in the immediate future.

Light Trade in Oats.

Trade in oats was light and the market showed little change in prices on the active deliveries. Cash grain was firmer with No. 2 white sold as high as 3c over the December, and offerings of choice grain are scarce in all markets.

December rye acted a little tight and it gained fractionally despite the easiness in wheat. There was little evidence of export business, but pressure was light and, the advance was easily attained.

DECEMBER COTTON UP

December cotton in all markets was strong and advanced in evening up with net gains in Chicago of 5 points and in other markets of 8 to 9 points. The markets closed at noon. Distant futures in Chicago were 3 to 4 points lower, while other markets were 1 to 5 points higher. Spot cotton in New Orleans was unchanged at 12.45c, and 10 points lower at 12.95c in New York. Liverpool was steady and closed at 1 point higher. At the start prices were 3c to 10c higher in American markets, but declined on selling pressure only to react at the last on buying induced by heavy rains in the central belt, and showers in the Carolinas.

Prices in leading markets follow:

CHICAGO MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.	Last year.
Dec.	12.47	12.37	12.37	12.32	*
Jan.	12.44	12.37	12.30	12.39	*
March	12.63	12.54	12.54	12.59	*
May	12.85	12.77	12.78	12.82	*
July	13.04	12.90	12.99	13.03	*
Oct.	13.20	13.17	13.17	13.21	*

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.	Last year.
Dec.	12.56	12.47	12.54	12.45	*
Jan.	12.53	12.44	12.45	12.43	*
March	12.64	12.56	12.60	12.56	*
May	12.82	12.75	12.78	12.76	*
July	12.99	12.89	12.95	12.92	*
Oct.	13.11	13.05	13.06	13.05	*

NEW YORK MARKET.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.	Last year.
Dec.	13.11	13.02	13.10	13.02	*
Jan.	12.47	12.39	12.42	12.37	*
March	12.68	12.61	12.66	12.61	*
May	12.88	12.81	12.85	12.82	*
July	13.07	12.98	13.02	13.01	*
Oct.	13.25	13.16	13.19	13.21	*

*Holiday.

Exports were 30,439 bales, making 5,223,516 so far this season. Port receipts, 52,500; United States port stocks, 2,998,810.

BIDS AND OFFERS

Range of prices on bids and offers, good all day Monday, follow:

WHEAT.

	Bids— High.	Low.	Close.	Offers— High.	Low.	Close.
Dec	1.38⅛	1.38⅛	1.38⅛	1.42⅛	1.41⅛	1.41⅛
May	1.39⅛	1.39⅛	1.39⅛	1.41⅛	1.41⅛	1.41⅛
July	1.31⅛	1.31⅛	1.31⅛	1.33	1.32⅛	1.32⅛
CORN.						
Dec	72	72	72	73⅛	73⅛	73⅛
May	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛
July	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛
OATS.						
May	50	50⅛	49⅛	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛
RYE.						
Dec	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
May	1.00	99⅛	99⅛	1.01⅛	1.01⅛	1.01⅛

GOOD ALL NEXT WEEK.

	Bids— Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.	Offers— Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
May	1.37	80	49	1.44⅛	83⅛	51⅛

GRAIN STATISTICS

Argentine exports of wheat for the week were small, but included 10,000 bu from the new crop. Details follow:

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
This wk.	38,000	496,000	1,309,000
Last wk.	5,792,000	3,828,000	3,292,000
Last yr.	322,000	35,000	490,000
Since July	78,730,000	188,300,000	36,166,000
Year ago	113,988,000	123,018,000	31,890,000
Visible supply—			
This wk.	1,850,000	14,000,000	....
Last wk.	1,850,000	14,400,000	....
Last yr.	3,700,000	5,600,000	....

North American exports of wheat and flour, as compiled by Bradstreets, increased 4,819,000 bu over the previous week. Details follow:

	Wheat and flour, bu.	Corn, bu.
This week	13,387,000	192,000
Last week	8,568,000	78,000
Last year	8,963,000	168,000
Since July 1	244,551,000	1,744,000
Year ago	189,373,000	2,335,000

TRADING IN GRAIN FUTURES

Purchases of grain futures on the Chicago Board of Trade, as compiled by the Grain Futures administration follow, last three ciphers omitted:

	Thursday.	Wk. ago.	Last yr.
Wheat	16,852	29,678	68,012
Corn	12,891	13,937	9,798
Oats	4,741	7,030	2,139
Rye	718	269	2,690
Total, bu.	35,202	50,914	82,630

SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—SUGAR—Raw was unchanged today with spot Cuban quoted at 5.08c duty paid. Raw futures advanced 1 to 3 points early but partial reactions followed with the close 1 point lower to 1 point net higher. The refined market was dull and unchanged at 6.10@6.40c for fine granulated.

Prices as wired to Lamborn & Co. follow:

	Sales, tons.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Dec.	2,650	3.23	3.17	....	3.20
Jan.	6,000	3.20	3.17	3.18	3.19
Mar.	9,750	3.26	3.24	3.25	3.24
May	2,250	3.32	3.30	3.30	3.29
July	750	3.39	3.38	3.37	3.37
Sept.	2,100	3.43	3.42	3.43	3.42
Dec., '27.	550	3.37	3.36	3.36	3.35

CASH GRAIN NEWS

A small export business was put through in wheat at the seaboard, but the general demand was of a holiday character. No. 2 hard winters at the gulf advanced ⅛c late Thursday to 11⅛c over Chicago May, with around 250,000 bu changing hands of late.

Chicago handlers sold 36,000 bu corn and 10,000 bu oats to the domestic trade, with 25,000 bu oats sold to go to store. Deliveries on December contracts aggregated 658,000 bu wheat, 250,000 bu corn, 231,000 bu oats, and 3,000 bu barley.

Cash wheat basis showed little change here or in other markets. No. 2 red on track here was December price to ½c over, No. 3 red 4@5c under, No. 2 hard 1@3c over, and No. 2 hard December to 2c under.

Basis on old corn on track was unchanged, with new unchanged to 1c lower. Old No. 2 grades sold at 1⅛@3c over and No. 3 grades at ⅛@1⅛c over, with new No. 3 grades 1⅛@2½c under, No. 4 grades 4½@5c under, No. 5 grades 8⅛@10c under, and No. 6 grades 11@14c under the future. Outside markets were ⅛c higher to 1c lower.

Offerings of cash oats were small and basis steady to 1c higher. No. 2 white brought 5@8c over and No. 3 white, December to 3c over.

Official receipts of grain at Chicago Friday: Wheat, 23 cars; corn, 375 cars; oats, 68 cars; rye, 4 cars; barley, 12 cars.

Range of cash grain prices in leading markets follow:

WHEAT.

	Chicago.	Kansas City.	St. Louis.
No. 1 red.	....	1.34@1.34⅛	1.40
No. 2 red	....	1.33⅛	1.37@1.39
No. 3 red.	1.36⅛	....	....
No. 4 red.	1.34	....	....
No. 1 hd.	1.44⅛@45	1.38⅛@1.38⅛	....
No. 2 hd.	1.43⅛	1.37⅛@1.39⅛	1.41⅛
No. 3 hd.	1.35⅛@1.36	1.35@1.38⅛	1.41
No. 4 hd.	1.34	....	....

	Chicago.	Winnipeg.	Minneapolis.
No. 1 N.	....	1.35⅛	1.42⅛@44⅛
No. 2 N.	....	1.30⅛	1.38⅛@40⅛
No. 3 N.	....	1.24⅛	1.34⅛@36⅛
No.1 dk.N.	....	....	1.43⅛@50⅛

CORN.

	Chicago.	Omaha.	Peoria.
No. 2 mx.	74⅛	....	....
No. 3 mx.	72⅛	....	....
No. 4 mx.	68 @72	....	....
No. 5 mx.	62⅛@66	64	....
No. 6 mx.	60⅛@68	60 @64	....
No. 2 yel.	75⅛	....	58⅛
No. 3 yel.	74 @74⅛	76	73
No. 4 yel.	68⅛@73⅛	74 @70⅛	72
No. 5 yel.	63 @70	64 @71	....
No. 6 yel.	59 @69	....	....
No. 2 wh.	75	....	58⅛@68
No. 3 wh.	74	....	....
No. 4 wh.	68⅛	....	....
No. 5 wh.	63	....	....
No. 6 wh.	59 @63	....	58⅛
S. grade.	53 @65	56	55⅛@59⅛

	Milwaukee.	Kansas City.	St. Louis.
No. 3 mx.	....	72⅛@73⅛	....
No. 4 mx.	....	68⅛@70⅛	....
No. 2 yel.	....	76 @77	....
No. 3 yel.	....	73⅛	....
No. 4 yel.	70⅛	71	74⅛
No. 2 wh.	....	74 @74⅛	74
No. 3 wh.	....	72 @73⅛	....
No. 4 wh.	....	68⅛@70⅛	....

	Minneapolis.	Buffalo.	Toledo.
No. 2 yel.	77 @79	....	....
No. 3 yel.	71 @75	....	....
No. 2 mx.	72 @74	78⅛	75 @76

OATS.

	Chicago.	Kansas City.	St. Louis.
No. 2 wh.	51 @53	48⅛@51	52
No. 3 wh.	45 @48	47⅛@48⅛	47⅛@48
No. 4 wh.	39 @41	....	44 @45

	Milwaukee.	Omaha.	Minneapolis.
No. 2 wh.	51	48	47⅛@48⅛
No. 3 wh.	49	....	45⅛@46⅛
No. 4 wh.	48⅛	....	42⅛@44⅛

	Buffalo.	Toledo.	Peoria.
No. 2 wh.	....	....	50 @52
No. 3 wh.	51⅛@52⅛	50 @51	....

RYE, BARLEY, AND FLAX.

	Rye.	Barley.	Flax.
Chicago	98	....	....
Milw'kee.	....	65 @80	2.27⅛
Minpolis	93⅛@97	51 @71	2.17⅛@27⅛
Duluth	95⅛	50 @69	2.17⅛@26⅛

CLOVER AND TIMOTHY.

	Cash.	March.
Clover—		
Chicago, per 100 lbs.	25.00@32.50	....
Toledo, per 60 lbs.	23.75	18.00
Timothy—		
Chicago, per 100 lbs.	5.00@ 5.75	....
Toledo, per 45 lbs.	2.65@ 2.85	3.05

GRAINS·IN·ALL MARKETS

December Wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing— Dec.24, 1926.	Dec.23, 1926.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	1.39⅝	1.40	1.39	1.39⅝	1.40⅛	Closed
K C	1.34⅛	1.34⅛	1.34⅛	1.34⅛	1.34⅛	Closed
Mpls	1.41⅛	1.41⅛	1.41⅛	1.41⅛	1.41⅛	Closed
*Dul	....	....	....	1.38⅛	1.39	Closed
Wpg.	1.32⅛	1.32⅛	1.32⅛	1.32⅛	1.32⅛	Closed
Lpl.	1.64⅛	1.65⅛	1.64⅛	1.65⅛	1.65⅛	Closed

May Wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	Closed
S L	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	Closed
K C	1.34⅛	1.34⅛	1.34	1.34⅛	1.34⅛	Closed
Mpls	1.42⅛	1.42⅛	1.42	1.42⅛	1.42⅛	Closed
*Dul	1.37⅛	1.37⅛	1.37⅛	1.37⅛	1.37⅛	Closed
Wpg	1.35⅛	1.35⅛	1.35⅛	1.35⅛	1.35⅛	Closed
†Lpl	1.53⅛	1.53⅛	1.53⅛	1.53⅛	1.53⅛	Closed
Lpl	1.50⅛	1.51⅛	1.50⅛	1.51	1.51⅛	Closed
N Y	1.44⅛	1.44⅛	1.44⅛	1.44⅛	1.44⅛	Closed

July Wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	1.32	1.32⅛	1.31⅛	1.32⅛	1.32⅛	Closed
K C	1.25⅛	1.25⅛	1.24⅛	1.25	1.25⅛	Closed
Mpls	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	Closed
Wpg	1.35⅛	1.35⅛	1.34⅛	1.35⅛	1.35⅛	Closed

December Corn.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	73⅛	73⅛	72⅛	72⅛	73⅛	Closed
K C	73⅛	73⅛	73⅛	73⅛	73⅛	Closed

May Corn.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛	Closed
S L	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛	Closed
K C	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	Closed

July Corn.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛	84⅛	Closed
K C	....	....	....	82⅛	82⅛	Closed

December Oats.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	45⅛	46⅛	45⅛	45⅛	46⅛	Closed
Mpls	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	Closed
Wpg	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛	56⅛	Closed

May Oats.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	50	50⅛	49⅛	50⅛	50⅛	Closed
Mpls	47⅛	47⅛	47	47⅛	47⅛	Closed
Wpg	58⅛	58⅛	58⅛	58⅛	58⅛	Closed

July Oats.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	48⅛	48⅛	48	48⅛	48⅛	Closed
Wpg	57⅛	57⅛	57⅛	57⅛	58⅛	Closed

December Rye.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	94	94⅛	94	94⅛	94⅛	Closed
Mpls	....	....	....	93⅛	91⅛	Closed
Wpg	92⅛	93⅛	92⅛	93⅛	92⅛	Closed

May Rye.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Chi	1.00⅛	1.00⅛	1.00	1.00⅛	1.00⅛	Closed
Mpls	97⅛	97⅛	97	97⅛	95⅛	Closed
Wpg	97⅛	98⅛	97⅛	98⅛	97⅛	Closed

December Barley.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Mpls	....	....	....	68⅛	68	Closed
Wpg	64⅛	64⅛	64⅛	64⅛	64⅛	Closed

December Flaxseed.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Dec.24.	Dec.23.	Dec.26, 1925.
Mpls	....	....	....	2.17⅛	2.16⅛	Closed
Dul	2.17⅛	2.17⅛	2.17⅛	2.17⅛	2.17⅛	Closed
Wpg	....	....	....	1.88⅛	1.88	Closed

*Durum. †Exchange, $4.86. ‡March.

HOG REPORT BULLS LARD

The bullish hog report brought in free covering by shorts and considerable new investment buying of lard, changing general sentiment materially and advancing prices 30c, with the close at the top. Selling was mainly by profit takers, as prices are up 1c per lb of late. Liverpool was stronger and 6d to 1s 6d higher. Cash lard closed at $12.45, loose at $11.85, and leaf at around 12c. Short ribs were 30c higher and bellies 25c higher. Prices follow:

Clear Bellies.

	High.	Low.	Close— Dc.24, 1926.	Dc.23, 1926.	Dc.25, 1925.
Jan.	....	....	15.00	14.75	*
May	15.00	14.80	15.00	14.75	......

Lard.

	High.	Low.	Dc.24.	Dc.23.	Dc.25.
Dec.	....	....	....	....	......
Jan.	12.57	12.35	12.45	12.15	......
March	12.65	12.52	12.55	12.23	......
May	12.80	12.60	12.65	12.35	......
	....	....	12.80	12.50	......

Short Ribs.

	High.	Low.	Dc.24.	Dc.23.	Dc.25.
Jan.	....	....	13.95	13.65	......
May	13.97	13.75	13.97	13.67	......

*Holiday.

HAY RECEIPTS SMALL

Trade in hay on Friday was fair and prices unchanged. Receipts were only 16 cars timothy, with one car packing. Prices follow:

U. S. grades—	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Timothy	$21-23	$19-21	$14-18
Tim & clo, lt mix	22-23	18-21	14-17
Tim & clo, med mix	22-23	19-21	14-17
Tim & clo, hv mix	23-24	20-22	14-16
Tim & grs, lt mix	19-21	16-19	13-16
Tim & grs, hv mix	17-19	15-17	13-13
Clover	24-25	21-23	13-16
Mixed grass	16-18	14-16	12-14
Sample grades	....	....	9-14
Alfalfa, No. 2 to choice	....	....	18-25
Marsh hay, fdr & pkg	....	....	13-16
W & S W prai, Nos 1 & 2	....	....	15-18
Straw—Rye	....	....	16-17½
Oats and wheat	....	....	14-15

PRIMARY GRAIN MOVEMENT

Receipts—	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
Friday	720,000	1,063,000	452,000
Last week	729,000	850,000	332,000
Last year	....	Holiday.	....
Shipments—			
Friday	499,000	322,000	394,000
Last week	571,000	392,000	339,000

RAW SILK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—SILK—Raw, unchanged.

WORLD'S GRAIN MARKET NEWS

All the leading world's markets will be closed today, Christmas, but will reopen Monday with the exception of Liverpool, which will be closed until Tuesday.

Bearish sentiment continues dominant among grain traders, but a majority of operators and commission houses are cautious about taking a definite stand on the short side at present, and in the main a light trade with possibly erratic fluctuations is expected the remainder of the year.

"There is a great difference of opinion regarding wheat back in country elevators and farmers' hands," said a Kansas City man. "I believe 35 per cent for Kansas, 30 per cent for Nebraska, and 30 per cent for Oklahoma, with 20 per cent for Texas, is about right. On the basis of 30 per cent for Kansas, Nebraska and Oklahoma, there should be about 78,000,000 bu of wheat in the country in the three states. The best informed people in the southwest say there is always uncertainty as to the quantity back and figures are generally deceptive."

J. E. Riordon continues to talk bullish on corn, and in commenting on the situation called attention to the the unusual distribution of the crop this season as compared with hogs. Twelve leading corn belt states have a crop of 1,786,000,000 bu, or 459,000,000 bu less than last year, yet the same states have nearly 40,000,000 of the 51,000,000 hogs estimated to be in the country. He feels that the number of hogs combined with increased cattle feeding operations are more than sufficient to take care of the much smaller yield than last year, even after allowing for carrying over from the 1925 crop, especially after it is considered that the corn and hog price ration is the most favorable for feeders in many years.

New wheat is moving in volume in Australia, and export clearances are heavy, aggregating 2,064,000 bu the last week, compared with 280,000 bu the previous week. The movement to importing countries is regarded as unusually heavy for this season of the year.

Based on prevailing prices for wheat in Argentina it is figured that the grain can be laid down abroad about 13c lower than American No. 2 hard winter via the Gulf.

Wheat crop in 36 countries of the world, excluding Russia, is estimated at 3,332,000,000 bu, compared with 3,253,000,000 bu last year. In commenting on the world's import needs, attention is called by those favoring a higher level of prices, to the fact that the European wheat crop is 11 per cent less than last year, rye 15 per cent less, and potatoes 20 per cent less, and it is felt that the demand for wheat should be greater than last year.

Argentine wheat surplus is estimated by Broomhall's agent at 166,000,000 bu, an increase of 9,000,000 bu over his recent revised figures, 16,000,000 bu in excess of his preliminary figures, and 50,000,000 bu more than the government official returns of last year.

Owing to the financial condition of farmers in Argentina, it is expected that they will be forced to sell a great deal of wheat and flax seed as soon as the grain can be threshed and moved, in order to get much needed ready money.

WALL STREET NOTES

New York, Dec. 24.—(AP)—The "Christmas spirit" was not as pronounced on the New York curb market as it was on the big board today, prices showing the same irregularity of movement that has characterized most sessions this week. Traders reported the usual pre-holiday shifting of speculative accounts, some of it for the purpose of establishing income tax losses for 1926.

Oils displayed a relatively firm undertone, with a jump of nearly 5 points in Prairie Pipe Line to a new high record at 135 as one of the individual features. Standard Oil of Ohio jumped 15 points to a new high record at 360, and then lost half its gain. South American issues were a shade easier.

In the industrial group substantial recessions took place in some of the high priced issues, such as Fajardo Sugar, Ford of Canada, Johns-Manville, and Singer Manufacturing. On the other hand, American Piano soared 10 points to a new record top at 275, and Libbey-Owens, Pittsburgh Plate Glass, Procter & Gamble, and Tubize Art Silk moved up 2 to 4 points on odd lot transactions. Among the low priced issues good buying was noted in Dunhill International, Murray Body, and Electric Bond and Share.

With its customary vitality impaired by the holiday lull in buying interest, the bond market drifted aimlessly. French obligations made no response to the announcement that the government had taken control of the exchange situation and would peg the franc around the 4 cent level. Some of the French bonds sold fractionally lower, but Belgian issues were firm. The most noticeable feature of the foreign group was the buying of Mexican obligations, apparently in anticipation of the next debt payments, due the first of the year. The government's 5s, assented, rose more than 2 points.

Considerable activity developed in the local tractions, following reports that the bus franchise on the basis of a 5 cent fare would be awarded soon. Price movements, however, were not uniform, gains in Third Avenue Railway issues being offset by a decline in New York Railways income 6s.

Seaboard Air Line, Great Northern, and Baltimore and Ohio bonds were among the few railroad issues to move ahead. Profit taking caused moderate recessions in Granby Mining 7s and Dominion Iron and Steel 5s.

Interest in the foreign exchange market centered largely in the announcement that the French government had decided to stabilize its currency at a price between 121 and 123 to the pound sterling, or around 25.15 to the American dollar. French francs were quoted just above 3.95 cents. Demand sterling ruled around $4.84 13-16, and all the continental currencies showed narrow changes with the exception of Norwegian krone which advanced 12 points to 25.36 cents.

WEEKLY AVERAGE PRICES

LIVE STOCK.

Average weekly prices at Chicago for native beef cattle, hogs, sheep, and lambs, as compiled by the Drovers' Journal:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Lambs.
Last week	$ 9.90	$11.55	$ 5.30	$12.00
Prev. week	10.30	11.40	5.75	12.20
Cor. wk. '25	9.60	10.85	8.25	15.65
Cor. wk. '24	9.45	9.95	8.25	17.60
Cor. wk. '23	9.35	7.00	7.00	13.75
Cor. wk. '22	8.85	8.45	7.50	14.10
Cor. wk. '21	6.95	7.20	4.70	11.20
Av. '21-25	$ 8.85	$ 8.70	$ 7.15	$14.95

METAL MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—COPPER—quiet; electrolytic spot and futures, 13⅛@13⅝c; TIN—easy; spot and nearby, $67.00; February, $66.62. IRON—steady and unchanged; LEAD—Dull, spot, 7.80c. ZINC—Steady; East St. Louis spot and futures, 7.02@7.05c. ANTIMONY—Spot, 13.00c.

LONDON.—(AP)—COPPER—Standard, spot, £56 17s 6d; futures £57 12s 6d; electrolytic, spot £64 5s; futures £64 15s. TIN—Spot £301 2s 6d; futures £295 12s 6d. LEAD—Spot £29; futures £29 5s. ZINC—Spot £32 17s 6d; futures £32 15s.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—[Special]—LEAD—Dull at 7.70c. ZINC—Slab, quiet at 7.05c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—STEEL—Prices unchanged.

GASOLINE AND LINSEED OILS.

GASOLINE—Tank wagon, 18c; service station 20c; machine gasoline, 40.3c. CARBON—Perfection, 13⅛c; Stanoline furnace oil, 8⅛c for 800 gals or more; 99 to 799 gals, 9c; less than 99 gals, 10c; summer black machine oil, 9.9c; do winter, 10.4c. LINSEED OIL—Raw, drums 91c; do boiled, 94c. DENATURED ALCOHOL — 45c in drums. WHITE LEAD—100 lb kegs, $13.25. TURPENTINE—Drums, 98c.

COTTONSEED OIL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—COTTONSEED OIL—Trading was fairly active today, total sales aggregating 7,600 brls. Tenders of 400 barrels on December contracts caused a reaction of 24 points in that delivery, but otherwise the general undertone was firm. The close was 24 points lower on December and 3 to 15 points higher on other positions. Prime crude, nominal; prime summer yellow, spot, 8.00c; December closed, 8.10c; January, 8.15c; March, 8.37c; May, 8.59c; July, 8.69c.

ROSLYN PLACE FLAT BUILDING SOLD—$300,000

BY AL CHASE.

R. Bernhard Kurzon and Sophie L. Seltzer have sold the five story [illegible] apartment building at 442-[illegible] Roslyn place to Russell N. Crawford and Thomas A. Garabaldi for a reported $300,000, subject to a $150,000 [illegible] mortgage assumed by the buyers. The building stands on a lot [illegible]. J. V. Fergus of Matteson & [illegible] was the only broker in the deal. Irving Grossman was attorney for the buyers and Pritzger & Pritzger represented the sellers in a legal way.

Club Building for Oak Park.

Plans for the proposed two story building to be erected by the Nineteenth Century club of Oak Park, at Forest avenue and Ontario street, will be completed in a few weeks and bids will then be taken. Architect James L. Fyfe has designed a building which will cost approximately $160,000, exclusive of site and furnishings.

It will be of fireproof construction and will have an auditorium, gymnasium and swimming pool. Construction will start, according to Mr. Fyfe, as soon as weather conditions are favorable.

Roy's Tire company has leased the store at 213 West Madison from E. [illegible] Archibald for ten years at a term rental reported to be $100,000. The [illegible] Realty company was broker.

Buys Factory Building.

Frederick E. Hummel & Co. report having sold to the Mid West [illegible] company the new one and two story manufacturing building, [illegible], at 45 Walnut street, for $45,000. It was erected by the Hummel company.

John C. Ruettinger yesterday bought the half interest in the garage property on the east side of Morgan street, [illegible] feet south of Madison street, held by Alexander S. Schulman. Title was transferred to Mr. Ruettinger by the [illegible] Trust and Savings bank, trustee. Mr. Ruettinger now is the sole owner. The property is leased for five years to the American Railway Express company at $12,500 annually. Charles P. Schwartz was attorney.

PRODUCE MARKETS

Demand for butter was only fair, but the undertone was decidedly firm with all scores here up ½c and New York ½c higher. Cheese trade slow, and prices unchanged. Fresh eggs sold at unchanged prices. Receipts 3,238 cases. Live turkeys steady, lower with other poultry unchanged. Receipts 3 cars and 1,420 coops. Potato market firm with a good demand track. Receipts 40 cars with 175 cars on track.

Sales of butter for future delivery on the Chicago Mercantile exchange aggregated 18 cars and eggs 33 cars. Prices follow:

BUTTER.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Storage Standards—				
December	46⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛
January	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
February	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
EGGS.				
Fresh Firsts—				
January	42	41⅛	42	42
February	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
Refrigerator Standards—				
December	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛

WHOLESALE CREAMERY BUTTER PRICES.

Chicago—	Whole Milk.	Centralized.	New York.	Boston.
93 score	....	....	53⅛	....
92 score	50	....	52⅛	51
91 score	49	....	51⅛	51
90 score	48	48	51	50
89 score	45	46	50	49
88 score	43	43⅛	48	46⅛
87 score	41⅛	....	44	44
86 score	39	....	42⅛	42

BUTTER PRICES TO CHICAGO RETAILERS.

Score—	Tubs.	Prints.	Cartons.
Best (92-93)	.53	.55	53⅛-54⅛
Good (89-91)	.50	.51	51⅛-55⅛

WHOLESALE CHEESE PRICES.

	*Wis-consin.	Chicago.	New York.	[illegible]
Flats	.24⅛-25	25⅛	....	....
Twins	.25⅛-25⅛	25⅛	26⅛-26⅛	....
S. Dais.	.25⅛-25⅛	....	....	....
D. Dais.	.25 -25⅛	....	....	....
Lghns.	.26 -26⅛	26⅛	....	....

*Previous day.

FRESH EGGS.

Fresh firsts ...41@43⅛ Checks ...[illegible]
Misc. firsts ......42c Dirties ...[illegible]
Ord. firsts ...37@40c
Extra, city candled, to retail trade, [illegible] over fresh firsts.

POULTRY—WHOLESALE.

Live—		Dressed—	
Turkeys	36c	Turkeys	[illegible]
Hens, heavy	24c	Hens, heavy	[illegible]
Springs	23⅛c	Springs	[illegible]
Old roosters	18c	Old roosters	[illegible]
Ducks	26@30c	Ducks	[illegible]
Geese	20@25c	Geese	[illegible]

GREEN FRUITS.

Apples, brls ....[illegible]
Cranberries, box ....[illegible]
Lemons, box ....[illegible]
Oranges, box ....[illegible]
Pineapples, crate ....[illegible]

POTATOES.

Wisconsin, 100 lbs. ....[illegible]
Western ....[illegible]
Sweet, hamper ....[illegible]

DRESSED BEEF.

	Yearlings.	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Ribs	26	21	[illegible]	[illegible]
Loins	33	29	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rounds	19	14	13⅛	[illegible]
Chucks	15	13	12⅛	[illegible]
Plates	9⅛	10⅛	10	[illegible]

VEAL CARCASSES.

50@60 lbs. ....11c 90@130 lbs. ....[illegible]
70@80 lbs ....12@13c Hvy. coarse....[illegible]

OUTSIDE PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—EGGS—Steady; receipts, 22,634 cases. Pacific coast whites, extras, express, unquoted; freight, [illegible]. Pacific coast whites, firsts to extra firsts, [illegible] 56⅛c. POULTRY—Live, quiet; roosters, by freight, 14c. Dressed—Irregular; prices unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—(AP)—POULTRY—Live turkeys, fancy, fat, 45@48c. Dressed—Fresh killed, dry picked, in boxes, according to weight, 24@32c. Other articles unchanged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—(AP)—EGGS and POULTRY—Unchanged.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—(AP)—EGGS—Fresh firsts, 40@41c. POULTRY—Springs, 23⅛c; hens, 22c; turkeys, 43c; ducks, 23@28c; geese, 17@18c.

PLYMOUTH, Wis.—[Special.] — Wisconsin cheese exchange: 270 boxes; no squares; [illegible] twins, 23⅛c; no daisies; no double daisies; no Americas; no horns.

U. S. TREASURY STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 24.—The following is a statement of the condition of the United States treasury on Dec. 23:

Income to date this year	$1,978,[illegible]
Income to date last year	1,860,[illegible]
Increase	$ 118,[illegible]
Income over outgo this year	$ 274,757,[illegible]
Income over outgo last year	166,512,[illegible]
Increase	$ 108,244,[illegible]
Balance general fund today	$ 299,953,[illegible]
Balance previous day	288,202,[illegible]
Increase	$ 11,751,[illegible]

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Stock, rate, period—	Payable.	Stock of record.
Hudson & Manhat, 2½ s a	Feb 15	[illegible]
Keystone Stl & W pfd, 1¾ q	Jan 15	[illegible]
Merchants & Mfg Sec pr pfd $1.75 q	[illegible]	[illegible]
Richfield Oil, 25c q	Jan 15	[illegible]
Do, 15c ex	Feb 1	[illegible]
Wabash R R pfd A, 1¼ q	Feb 25	[illegible]
Havana Elec Ut 1st pfd, 1½ q	Feb 15	[illegible]
Do cum pfd, 1¼ q	Feb 15	[illegible]
Corn Products, 50c q	Jan 20	[illegible]
Do, 75c extra	Jan 20	[illegible]
Do pfd, 1¾ q	Jan 15	[illegible]

RUBBER MARKET.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—(AP)—RUBBER—Closed steady; January, 38.30c; March, 39.50c; May, 40.00c. Smoked ribbed, spot, 38⅝c.

NEW M[illegible] BY CON[illegible] AND P[illegible]

BY HA[illegible]

Statistically [illegible] perfect Christm[illegible] climax of 1926 [illegible] consumption o[illegible] ties and service[illegible] duction has att[illegible] many departm[illegible]

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In what perio[illegible] was so large a [illegible] income devoted [illegible] children? The [illegible] so often levelled [illegible] refutation there.

There is anot[illegible] in modern Ch[illegible] large proportion [illegible] tional, intellect[illegible] and the heavy [illegible] speak of an e[illegible] upgrade of nat[illegible]

A few days a[illegible] addressed a ma[illegible] asking for more [illegible] days, because, [illegible] swamped by ma[illegible] causing a mor[illegible] prosperity is on[illegible] ages of human[illegible] deny that since [illegible] disquieting eve[illegible] slumps here a[illegible] perity to bla[illegible] hardly fall to [illegible] hard times of [illegible] moral standard[illegible] reached a very [illegible]

It was not an [illegible] saw the climax [illegible] financial center[illegible] American busin[illegible] trust. The ope[illegible] fail to find hig[illegible] in most of the [illegible] ican business. [illegible] the conduct of [illegible] probably just a[illegible] ness, about wh[illegible] because so litt[illegible] quite probable t[illegible] of flippancy or [illegible] standards sprin[illegible] tion against u[illegible] pressed in oppr[illegible] from any moral [illegible]

BOSTON W[illegible]

BOSTON, Mass., [illegible] mercial Bulletin [illegible] quotations tomorr[illegible]

Domestic—Ohio [illegible] Delaine unwashed, [illegible] 54@46c; ⅜ blood c[illegible] combing, 45½c; [illegible] Michigan and [illegible] unwashed, 43@44[illegible] 44c; ⅜ blood com[illegible] ing, 44c; fine unw[illegible] Wisconsin, Miss[illegible] land: ½ blood, [illegible] ⅜ blood, 41@42[illegible] Scoured basis: T[illegible] lected], $1.05@1.0[illegible] California: Nort[illegible] county, 92@95c; [illegible] Oregon: North[illegible] f. m. clothing, 90[illegible] Territory—Monta[illegible] ple choice, $1.05[illegible] .97@$1.00; ⅜ b[illegible] blood combing, 7[illegible] Mohair: Best [illegible] carding, 60@62c.

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To Rent and W[illegible]
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Barber and Exch[illegible]
Bicycles and Mo[illegible]
Billiards and Bo[illegible]
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Buildings
Trade Schools
Typewriters and[illegible]
Undertakers
Wanted—To R[illegible]

[illegible] PLACE [illegible] BUILDING [illegible]—$300,000

[illegible]L CHASE.

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[illegible]ing for Oak Park.

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[illegible]actory Building.

[illegible] Hummel & Co. report [illegible] the Mid West Electric [illegible]ew one and two story [illegible]building, 75x125, at 1641- [illegible]et, for $45,000. It was [illegible] Hummel company.

[illegible]tinger yesterday bought [illegible] in the garage property [illegible] of Morgan street, 150 [illegible]adison street, held by [illegible]man. Title was trans[illegible]ettinger by the Foreman [illegible]ngs bank, trustee. Mr. [illegible] is the sole owner. The [illegible]ed for five years to the [illegible]ay Express company at [illegible]. Charles P. Schwartz

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[illegible]ASURY STATEMENT

[illegible] D. C., Dec. 24.—The fol[illegible]ment of the condition of the [illegible]asury on Dec. 22:

[illegible] this year $1,976,651,837
[illegible] last year 1,860,022,731

[illegible]ENDS DECLARED

[illegible]BBER MARKET.

[illegible] Dec. 24.—(AP)—RUBBER— [illegible] January, 38.80c; March, [illegible]0.00c. Smoked ribbed, spot.

NEW MARKS SET BY CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION

BY HARPER LEECH.

Statistically it appears to be a plu-perfect Christmas. The consumptive climax of 1926 records the highest total consumption of industrial commodities and services in our history. Production has attained highest records in many departments.

A glance at the chain stores and the basements of the department stores shows the man of middle age that no matter what cost of living and price index number may indicate as to general price levels in the last generation, countless things which were the exclusive Christmas luxuries of the well to do have come within the reach of anybody with a good job—and this Christmas follows a year of well sustained employment, notwithstanding a tremendous displacement of human labor by power driven devices.

Summing it all up in the reflected light of the first Christmas, are we not entitled to say that now, as never before, "the things which are Caesar's are becoming the things of every man"? That after all must be the test of Christmas. Any one who has ever pored over the pages of that remarkable book by C. Osborne Ward—"The Ancient Lowly"—must be aware how the story of the nativity echoes a widespread aspiration of the poor folks of that distant day—and the story is in itself an assertion of the dignity of humanity—the inspiration of countless forms of democratic aspiration since.

In what period of the world's history was so large a proportion of a nation's income devoted to the welfare of the children? The charge of materialism so often levelled at America finds instant refutation there.

There is another fine note discernible in modern Christmas shopping. The large proportion of toys with an educational, intellectual and mechanical value and the heavy sales of sporting goods speak of an eager, active race on the upgrade of national life.

A few days ago a body of eminent men addressed a manifesto to their followers asking for more humility in these holidays, because, they said, America is swamped by material prosperity, which is causing a moral decline. The fear of prosperity is one of the intellectual heritages of humanity. It would be idle to deny that since the war there have been disquieting events, indications of ethical slumps here and there. But is prosperity to blame? The historian will hardly fail to recall that it was in the hard times of the seventies that the moral standards of American public life reached a very low ebb.

It was not an age of prosperity which saw the climax of those practices in our financial centers, which later earned for American business a long period of distrust. The openminded inquirer cannot fail to find higher standards of conduct in most of the larger divisions of American business. This is notably true in the conduct of large corporations, and probably just as true of smaller business, about which we have to guess, because so little can be known. It is quite probable that what there is today of flippancy or cynicism about moral standards springs rather from a reaction against untempered idealism, expressed in oppressive law, rather than from any moral slump from prosperity.

BOSTON WOOL MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 24.—(AP)—The Commercial Bulletin will publish the following quotations tomorrow:

Domestic—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: Delaine unwashed, 45@46c; ½ blood combing, 45@46c; ⅜ blood combing, 45@45½c; ¼ blood combing, 45½c; fine unwashed, 38@39c.

Michigan and New York fleeces: Delaine unwashed, 43@44c; ½ blood combing, 43@44c; ⅜ blood combing, 45c; ¼ blood combing, 44c; fine unwashed, 36@37c.

Wisconsin, Missouri and average New England: ½ blood, 40@41c; ⅜ blood, 42@43c; ¼ blood, 41@42c.

Scoured basis: Texas: Fine 12 months [selected], $1.05@1.08; fine 8 months, 90@92c; California: Northern, $1.00@1.05; middle county, 92@95c; southern, 72@75c.

Oregon: Northern, $1.03@1.05; fine and f. m. clothing, 90@95c; valley No. 1, 90@95c.

Territory—Montana and similar: Fine staple choice, $1.05@1.10; ½ blood combing, 97@$1.00; ⅜ blood combing, 88@92c; ¼ blood combing, 78@82c.

Mohairs: Best combing, 75@77c; best carding, 60@62c.

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Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WTD—WITH SMALL GROWING firm; 18 yrs. exp.; bookkeeping, office detail, etc.; capable taking charge; married; reas. salary. Address B 314, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—FIRST CLASS BOOKkeeper, office manager, fair salary; a real producer. Address B 405, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—BKKPR., A1 REF.; MID. age; salary $25. Address B 304, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXP. BKKPR., AFTERnoons; comp. sell. Address B 71, Tribune.

Accountants and Auditors.

SITUATION WTD—CERTIFIED AUDITS, income tax, books kept. Armitage 2463.

Executives and Managers.

EXECUTIVES, ATTENTION!

Expert forecast budget executive, now head such dept. large corp., installed, successfully operated by him 3 years, desires new connection. Address B 378, Tribune.

PUBLICITY-ADVERTISING.

Young man, editorial and advertising experience, seeks change. Address B 309, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—YNG. ATTORNEY, AMERican-Jewish, wishes connection, financial or manufacturing executive capacity; wide sales experience; substantial connections. Care Eva B. Shaw, 564 Spitzer Bldg., Toledo, Ohio.

SITUATION WTD—ACCOUNTANT DESIRES position as office manager and general executive to small manufacturing concern. Starting salary $4,000; small town not objected to. Address B 119, Tribune.

Professions and Trades.

MECHANICAL ENGINEER.

15 years' experience on production, special machy., machine tools and inventions; take full charge. Address B 77, Tribune.

SITUATION WTD—EXPERIENCED COMPOSing room foreman; references; open shop. Address B 227, Tribune.

Clubs and Hotels.

SITUATION WTD — MARRIED COUPLE, exp., to take charge of hotel restaurant. Address C 110, Tribune.

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SITUATION WTD—COL., AMB., NEAT APpear. well mann., exc. ref.; messng., drmn., club or handy man. Address C 350, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Domestics and Cooks.

SITUATION WTD—YOUNG JEW. INTEL. couple, no child, [husb. works]; wants cook or superintend in motherless family for board and room. Address C 448, Tribune.

Nurses and Governesses.

SITUATION WTD—YNG. WOM.; COLLEGE grad., as governess for one or more children; willing to do sewing; best references. Address C 150, Tribune.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WTD — UNIVERSITY GIRL, tutor, primary work. S. S. Fair. 4530.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Stores and Offices.

ACCOUNTANT—AT LEAST 5 YEARS' PUBlic exp.; C. P. A. preferred; permanent if satisfactory; give complete information, experience, age, salary, etc. Apply by letter only, J. FRED LYNN, 10 S. La Salle-st.

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FOR SALE—$7,300; QUEEN ANNE BUNGAlow; 6 lge. rms.; lge. lot; oak floor, ... garage; nr. stores and transportation. ... Brookfield 1879.

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Sidewalks, gas, water and elec. in and paid for; 2 blks. from sta.; 45 min. to loop, 35 trains daily; dandy place for chickens; to a reliable party I will sell on terms of $150 cash and $25 per mo. For information to inspect, address F S 138, Tribune.

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Beautifully partly wooded 2 acre tract within 50 min. from loop; spring-fed creek can be converted into private lake; near station, churches, etc. Price $2,100; terms. Address F S 242, Tribune.

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IF YOU HAVE $40

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BARGAIN.

2, 3 or 5 adjoining business lots. Dempster-st. nr. L station. Price 30 to 50% cheaper than surrounding property. Liberal terms. Long Beach 9696.

REAL ESTATE—ACRE PROPERTY.

5 ACRE TRACT,
$650 CASH, $35 PER MO.

I must sell my small farm before Jan. 1 or lose it. 1 mile from sta.; 40 min. from loop. Price is rock bottom. No agent. Would like to sell to private party. Address B O 349, Tribune.

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FOR SALE—LAKE MICH. FRONTAGE, 628 ft.; nice shade trees, sandy beach; riparian rights; 30 mi. no. Milwaukee, 1 mi. to concrete highway, with 2 cottages; price, $12,... See NICK C. MUELLER, Belgium, Wis.

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2 AND 5 ACRES,

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FOR SALE—5 ACRES ON STONE ROAD; 1 hour's ride west from loop; 4 BLOCKS to station; price ONLY $2,250, terms $250 cash, $30 monthly. Address A L Powers, 5732 Madison-st.

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Sincerely yours,
John M. McClun.

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OFFICIAL FACTS ON WISCONSIN FARMS. Write Dept. Agriculture, Madison, Wis.

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Must be well located and
a real bargain. State
FULL PARTICULARS.
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FINE 2 FLAT BLDG., $12,500, EVANS-AV. s. of Marquette-rd. 1-5 and 1-6; steam ht.; good lt.; rental $1,600; will take good south side vacant. Hyde Park 2976.

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EXCHANGE—15 AND 2 APT. BUILDINGS equity for larger. Lincoln 3144.

EXCHANGE—24 APTS. ST. PAUL, MINN., want cir ppty. to raise $15,000. Main 0910.

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WILL TRADE MY EQUITY IN VACANT lot on south side for clear lot in Florida. Address E F 140, Tribune.

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Good Fellows Take Christmas Cheer into 11,612 Homes—Mikado Is Dead and Son Reigns in Place

[Pacific and Atlantic Photo.]

LANDS SAILORS. Rear Admiral Julian L. Latimer acts in Nicaragua.
(Story on page 1.)

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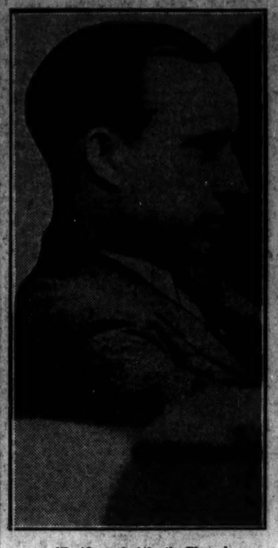
ASKS FOR PEACE. Commissioner Dr. Alexandre Cesar of Nicaraguan government. *(Story on page 1.)*

EMPEROR OF JAPAN DIES OF PNEUMONIA. Yoshihito, the mikado, who ascended throne in 1912, to be succeeded by Crown Prince Hirohito, who has been acting as regent.
(Story on page 1.)



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FOUND GUILTY. Patrick E. McDermott, convicted of murder of Canton, O., editor. *(Story on page 3.)*

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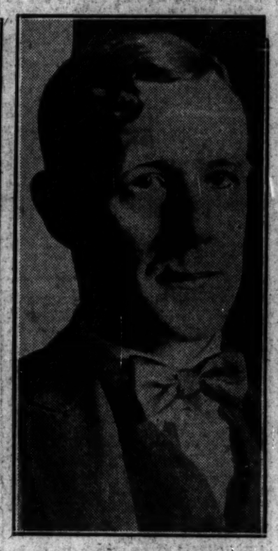
VISIT OF GOOD FELLOW BRINGS TEARS OF JOY TO MOTHER OF SICK CHILDREN. Left to right: Mary Kermath, 12; Mrs. Sophie Kermath, mother of six children, three of whom are in sanitarium; Lucille Wolfe, the Good Fellow; Joseph, 13; Sophie, 14.
(Story on page 1.)

IN EUROPEAN GARB. The new ruler of Japan has travelled extensively.
(Story on page 1.)

[Pacific and Atlantic Photo.]

JAPAN'S NEW RULER WITH PRINCE OF WALES. The heir to the English throne is wearing the bearskin of the Grenadier guards, while the Japanese prince is in uniform.
(Story on page 1.)



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WINS CHICAGOAN. Lieut. Arthur J. Unwin, British army, to wed Mrs. W. E. Walker.

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GOOD FELLOWS IGNORE COLOR LINE IN WORK OF CHARITY. Left to right, front: Eva Moore, 5; Miss Minnie Levinson, Good Fellow; Carrie Moore, 6. Back row: Marie Moore, 9; Ethel, 6; Mrs. Ida Moore, in their home at 2705 Federal street.
(Story on page 1.)

[Pacific and Atlantic Photo.]

NEW MIKADO. Prince Hirohito, who reigns in Japan in his own name.
(Story on page 1.)

[Pacific and Atlantic Photo.]

MOVIE STAR WED. Marion Constance Blackton becomes Mrs. Gardner Jones.

JUDGE EBERHARDT DISTRIBUTES 1,500 BASKETS TO MAXWELL STREET POOR. Left to right: Judge Alfar M. Eberhardt, Mrs. Francis Oberto and son, John, Mrs. Eberhardt. In rear: Assistant State's Attorneys Oscar Weiner and Sam Schein.
[TRIBUNE Photo.] *(Story on page 11.)*

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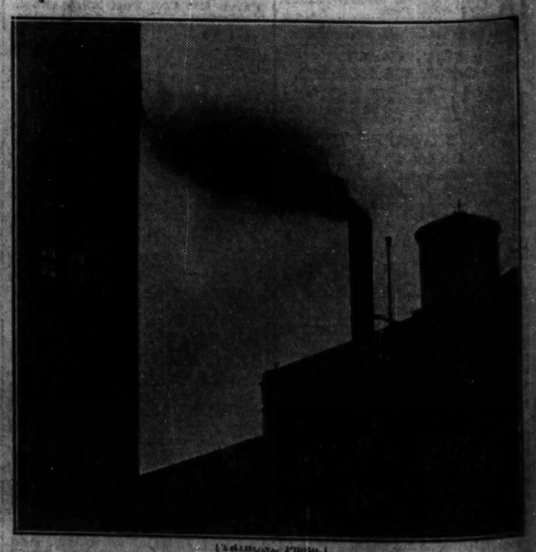
SINGING CHRISTMAS CAROLS ON THE FLOOR OF BOARD OF TRADE. After the trading closed for the day the members of the board and their clerks gathered in the pits and joined in well known melodies appropriate to the day.
(Story on page 11.)

AD BARES RIFT IN MILLIONAIRE'S ROMANCE. T. F. Manville, heir to $30,000,000, and his second wife, for whose debts, he announces, he will not be responsible.
[Pacific and Atlantic Photo.] *(Story on page 3.)*

KILLED IN WRECK. L. B. Evans, Jacksonville, Fla., reported slain in Dixie disaster. *(Story on page 2.)*

GASOLINE TRUCK FORCED TO DUMP ENTIRE LOAD IN OAK PARK SEWER. When a Sinclair Oil company truck sprang a leak in Oak Park yesterday the police of the suburb forced the driver to let the entire load run into catchbasin.
[TRIBUNE Photo.] *(Story on page 3.)*



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PRINTING PLANT CHIMNEY SMOKES. Stack of M. A. Donohue company from which dense clouds of smoke were issuing from 3:05 until 3:20 p. m. yesterday.